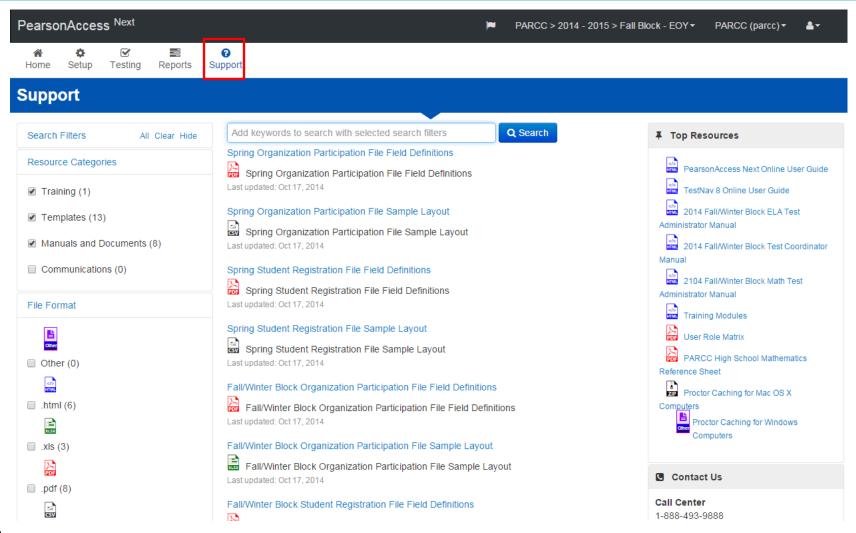


Welcome to Pearson's On-site Training

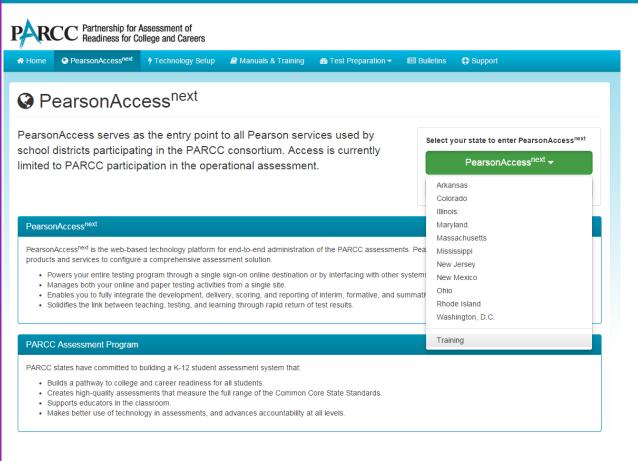


Resources – Support Page





Resources – Training Center



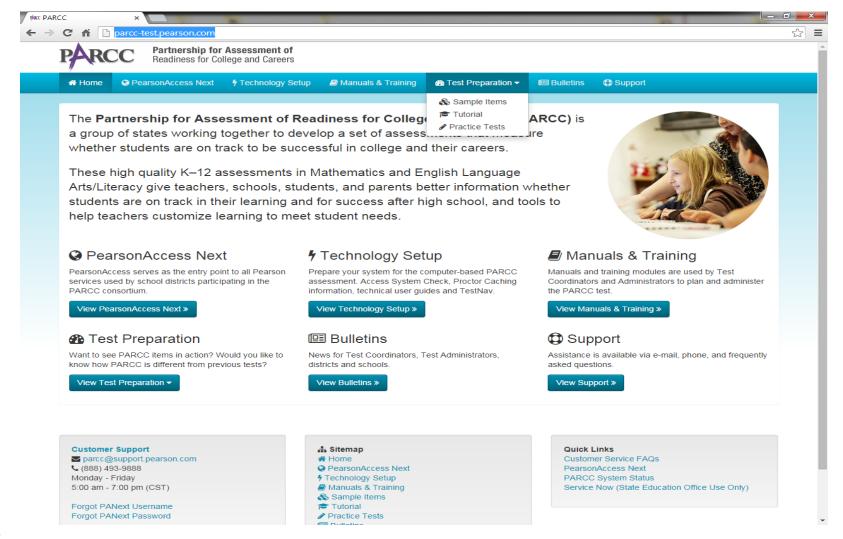
The Training Center is found at:

http://parcc.pearson.co m/pearsonaccess/

- Select the green
 PearsonAccess^{next}
 dropdown menu and select Training.
- Enter your user ID and password, and then click
 Sign In to go to the Training Center.



Resources





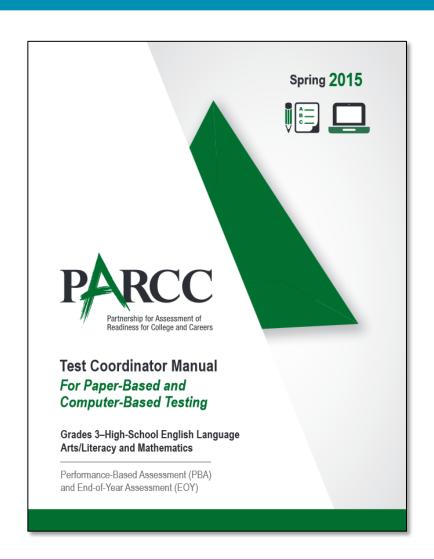
Resources – TAM and TCM

Test Coordinator Manual (TCM)
Paper-based and Computer-based
Testing

http://parcc.pearson.com

(Under "Manuals and Documents")

 Appendix C: State Policy Addendum





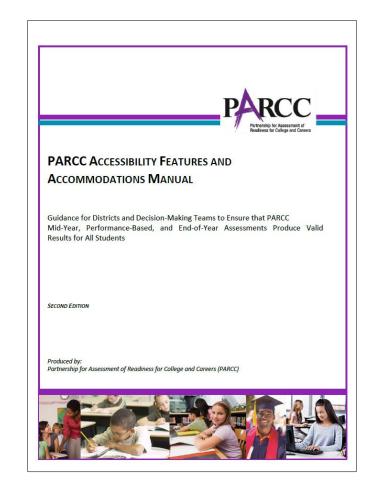
Resources – Accessibility Features and Accommodations

Accessibility Features and Accommodations Manual

http://www.parcconline.org/parccaccessibility-features-andaccommodations-manual

Accessibility Features and Accommodations Training Module:

https://parcc.tms.pearson.com





High Level Agenda Topics

Morning:

- Administrative Tasks to Complete *Before, During,* and *After Testing*
- Test Administration, Test Schedule, Testing Times
- Student Readiness
- Accessibility Features & Accommodations
- LEA and School Responsibilities
- Management of Materials



Tasks to Complete Before Testing

Prepare for a Test Administration

- 1. As soon as possible before testing:
 - Register students in PearsonAccess^{next} and resolve critical warnings/alerts.
 - View applicable training modules at https://parcc.tms.pearson.com.
 - Establish a testing schedule.

2. Approximately six weeks before testing:

- Prepare to administer accommodated tests, if necessary.
- Schedule practice tests and student tutorials (recommended).
- Develop a test security plan.
- Develop a logistics plan.
- Develop a training plan for Test Administrators and Proctors.
- Meet with and train Technology Coordinator(s).
- Complete technology setup.
- Conduct an Infrastructure Trial (optional).



Tasks to Complete Before Testing (continued)

Prepare for a Test Administration (continued)

One month before testing:

- Review the Test Coordinator Manual and recommended online training modules to prepare for Test Coordinator responsibilities.
- Notify students and parents about the PARCC assessment.

4. Two weeks before testing:

- Finalize the testing schedule and submit school security plans.
- Finalize the security, logistics, and training plan.
- Update Student Registration*.
- If applicable, order additional test materials.



Before Testing: Training Test Administrators and Proctors

Prepare and Train Test Administrators and Proctors

- Present and discuss the security and training plan with Test
 Administrators and Proctors, discuss content of Test Administration
 Manual, including timing and directions.
- Make sure Test Administrators understand policies and procedures on guidance for redirecting students and clarifying directions during testing, and administering any accommodations.
- Review day of test activities and Pearson Access Next test administration.
- Inform Test Administrators how they can obtain additional materials needed during test administration, such as extra scratch paper, and procedures for troubleshooting technology.
- Make sure all authorized personnel are trained on DC Test Integrity Act and sign security agreements.



Tasks to Complete Before Testing (continued)

Prepare for a Test Administration (continued)

- 5. One week before testing:
 - Meet with Test Administrators and Proctors.
 - Receive, document, and store materials.
 - Apply Student Labels to Test Booklets, if applicable.
 - Prepare Chain of Custody Forms.
 - Setup test sessions in PearsonAcccess^{next}.
 - Confirm Test Administrator accounts are active.
 - Proctor Cache Operational Tests.
 - Print Student Testing Tickets and Seal Codes.
 - Check for test administration updates at parcc.pearson.com/bulletins.
- 6. On the day of testing:
 - Make final preparations.



Tasks to Complete During Testing

On the Day of Testing:

- 1. Distribute test materials.
- 2. Ensure Test Administrators have a computer or tablet available.
- 3. Monitor test activity.
- 4. Ensure accessibility features and accommodations are being applied to appropriate students.
- 5. Create make-up tests in PearsonAccess^{next} and supervise make-up testing.
- 6. Be available to Test Administrators and Proctors.
- 7. Investigate security breaches and testing irregularities.
- 8. Follow protocol for contaminated or damaged test materials, safety threats and severe weather.
- 9. Respond to all technology related issues.
- 10. Collect materials from Test Administrators after each test unit.



During Testing: Security Breaches

Monitoring and Reporting Security Breaches and Testing Irregularities

- 1. All instances of security breaches and testing irregularities (e.g. loss of materials, failure to account for materials, or any other deviation from the test security plan) must be reported to the School Test Coordinator (STC), LEA Test Coordinator, or OSSE immediately.
- Reports may be made anonymously by calling 202-741-5991 or via email to <u>osse.assessments@dc.gov</u> or visiting <u>http://osse.dc.gov/service/communicating-test-security-violations</u>.
- 3. LEA will complete and submit the Form to Report a Testing Irregularity or Security Breach within 24 hours to OSSE.



During Testing: Contaminated & Damaged Materials

Contaminated or damaged test materials must be replaced. After testing, the Test Coordinator must:

- 1. Place Student ID label on replacement document.
- 2. Record security barcode number of the damaged and new documents.
- 3. Submit the Form to Report Contaminated Damaged, or Missing Materials via email to osse.assessments@dc.gov.
- 4. If possible, transcribe responses from contaminated test material into the replacement. If not, the student must be given a retake opportunity.
- 5. Destroy contaminated material according to local biohazards protocols.
- 6. Compile a list of contaminated/damaged Test Booklets and maintain the list for 4 years and notify your state.



During Testing: Safety Threats and Severe Weather

Create a Plan and Train Staff for Safety Threats and Severe Weather

Test Administrators and Proctors must:

- 1. Note the time of the disruption.
- 2. Secure test materials as specified in your School Security Plan and follow applicable building safety plan procedures.
- 3. When able to return, prepare students for the continuation of the unit and resume students' tests.
- 4. Document the situation in writing.

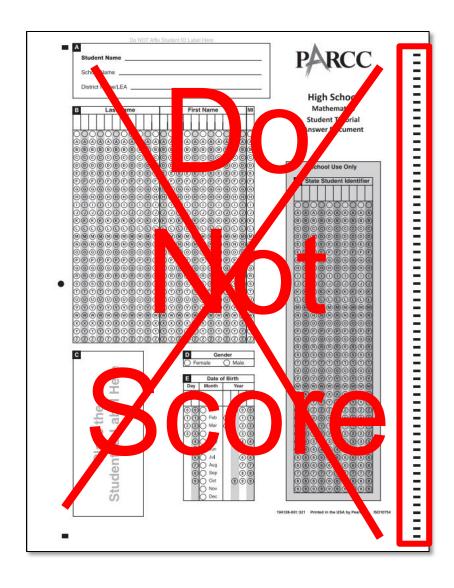
^{*} Check your state policy in the *PARCC Test Coordinator Manual* for state-specific procedures for reporting Safety Threats and Severe Weather.



Tasks to Complete After Testing

After the PARCC Assessment

- 1. The day of testing:
 - Collect materials.
 - Ensure Test Sessions have been completed.
 - Purge the cached test content.
- 2. Within the final week of testing:
 - Organize and return paper test materials (if applicable).
 - Identify and mark specific test materials as "Do Not Score."
 - Destroy/Shred used scratch paper and Mathematics Reference Sheets.
 - Recycle unused test material (after EOY).
 - Keep records according to your state's policy.
 - Resolve critical warning/alerts in PearsonAccess^{next}.
- 3. Within the 10 days of testing:
 - Test Monitors and Test Integrity Coordinators should sign and submit DC Test Integrity Affidavits.





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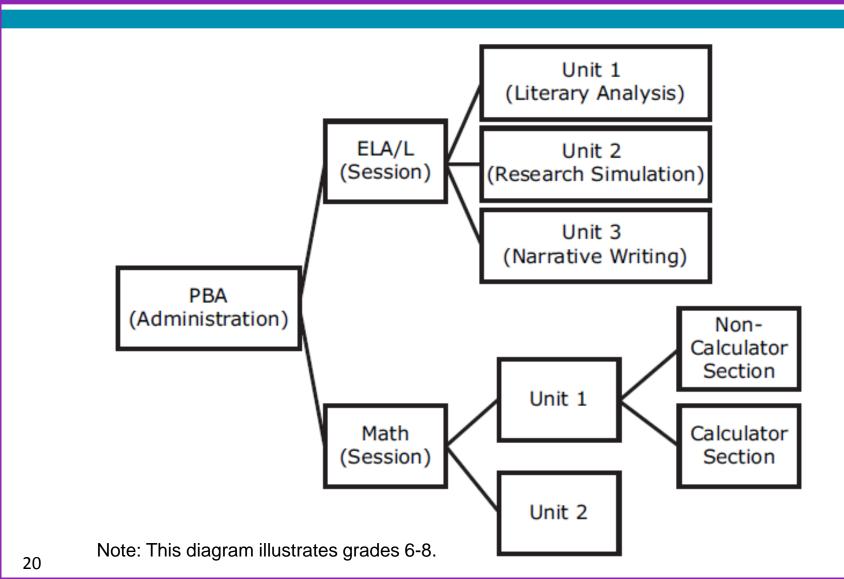


PBA Test Administration Flowchart

PBA (Administration) EOY (Administration)

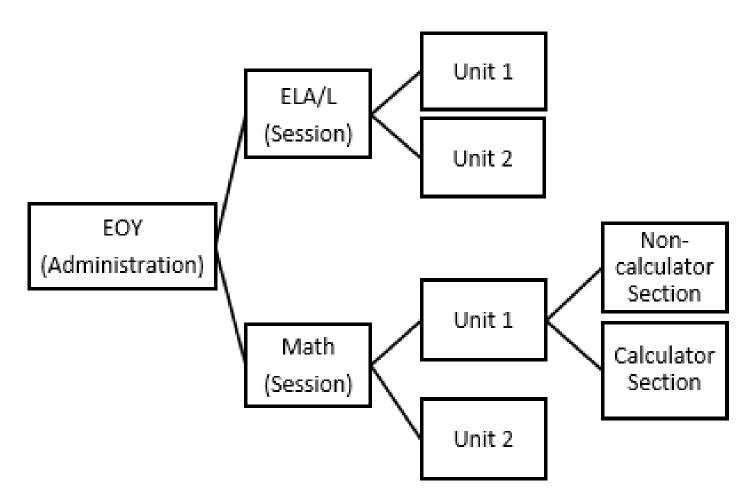


PBA Test Administration Flowchart





EOY Test Administration Flowchart



Note: This diagram illustrates grade 7 and high school.



Test Schedule

2015 — Spring Testing Windows

Component	Administration Dates		
Performance-Based Assessment (PBA)	March 2, 2015 through May 8, 2015		
End-of-Year (EOY)	April 13, 2015 through June 5, 2015		

^{*} If your district was approved for an early testing window, these dates may be slightly different.



Guidelines for Administration Time

Guidelines for Administration Time

Task	Time to be Allotted for an Administration		
Preparing for testing (includes reading instructions to students and answering questions)	10 minutes		
Distributing test material	5 minutes		
Unit testing time	60-90 minutes*		
Completing end-of-unit activities, including closing units, collecting test materials, and administering a student survey (after EOY)	5–15 minutes		

^{*}Depending on unit and subject—refer to *Unit Guidelines and Schedule* table in the *Test Coordinator Manual* for each Unit Time.



Example of Unit Testing Times

Unit Testing Times for Grades 3-5

	PBA			
Subject and Grade	Unit	Section	For Scheduling/ Testing Purposes Unit Testing Time (Minutes)	
Mathematics Crade 2 DDA	Unit 1	Non-calculator	75	
Mathematics Grade 3 PBA	Unit 2	Non-calculator	75	
Mathematics Grade 4 PBA	Unit 1	Non-calculator	80	
Mathematics Grade 5 PBA	Unit 2	Non-calculator	70	
ELA/Literacy Grade 3 PBA	Unit 1 (Literary Analysis)		75	
	Unit 2 (Research Simulation)		75	
	Unit 3 (Narrative Writing)		60	
	Unit 1 (Literary Analysis)		75	
ELA/Literacy Grade 4 PBA ELA/Literacy Grade 5 PBA	Unit 2 (Research Simulation)		90	
LDAY LITERACY GRADE 3 FDA	Unit 3 (Narrative Writing)		60	
	EOY			
Subject and Grade	Unit*	Section	Unit Testing Time (Minutes)	
Mathematics Grade 3 EOY	Unit 1	Non-calculator	75	
Mathematics Grade 4 EOY Mathematics Grade 5 EOY	Unit 2	Non-calculator	75	
ELA/Literacy Grade 3 EOY ELA/Literacy Grade 4 EOY ELA/Literacy Grade 5 EOY	Unit 1		75	

^{*}Grades 3-5 ELA/L have only one unit for EOY.



Guidelines for Administration Time

Guidelines for Administration Time (continued)

- Provide all students with the entire amount of Unit Testing Time.
- Once the Unit Testing Time has elapsed, the unit must end.
- A student may be allowed an extended time accommodation only if listed in his or her IEP, 504 Plan, or EL Plan.
- If students complete and submit their tests before unit testing time is complete, schools or LEAs may choose from options below:
 - After student has checked and submitted his or her work, the Test
 Administrator dismisses the student, and/or
 - After student has checked and submitted his or her work, the student may sit quietly and use allowable materials below.



Guidelines for Administration Time

Guidelines for Administration Time (continued)

- No materials in the testing environment before or after testing should compromise test validity and integrity. Recommended allowable materials include:
 - Recreational books (subject matter of recreational books to be unrelated to content being assessed).
 - Pens or colored pencils and blank paper.
- Test materials must be collected by Test Administrator prior to student having the above materials. Any paper used after testing should be collected by the Test Administrator before students leave the testing environment.



Make-Up Testing

Make-Up Testing

- Students who are absent or who can no longer test because of classroom, school, or technical interruptions during original units, may utilize make-up testing.
- Test security and administration protocols apply.
- School Test Coordinators will establish the make-up testing schedules for their schools.
- Units may be taken out of order for make-up testing only.
- State specific guidelines:
 - Schools may schedule make-up tests for different grade levels/subject areas at the same time and in the same room. In this case, special attention must be paid to variations in unit testing times and administration scripts.
 - Students with a documented and valid medical emergency will receive a medical exemption.



Guidelines for Breaks

Breaks

Between units, scheduled breaks should occur.

Example EOY (ELA/L Administration):

8:00 a.m. – 10:00 a.m.	Unit 1
10:00 a.m. – 10:15 a.m.	Scheduled Break
10:15 a.m. – 12:15 p.m.	Unit 2

 During a unit, short "stand-and-stretch" breaks may be permitted at the discretion of the Test Administrator.



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Introduction

By the end of this section, educators will have an understanding of the different test preparation options:

- TestNav 8 Tutorial
- Student Tutorials
- Sample Items
- Practice Tests
- Resources

	Paper	Online	Duration	Scored	
TestNav 8 Tutorial	No	Yes	30 Minutes	No	
Student Tutorials	Yes	Yes	30 Minutes	No	
Sample Items	No	Yes	N/A	No	
Practice Tests	Yes	Yes	60 Minutes	In December (Web-based)	



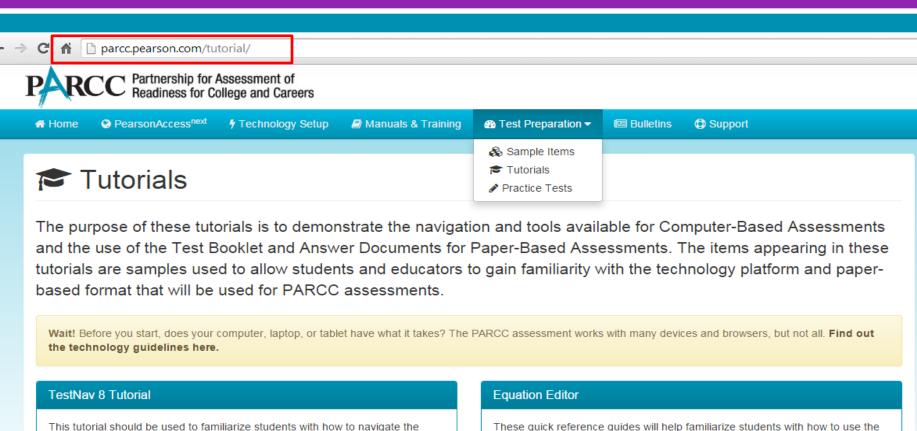








Reference



Published 1/17/2014

TestNav 8 computer-based environment (advancing, going back, tool bar,

View TestNav 8 Tutorial »

embedded supports and accommodations).

Equation Editor Tool.

Published 3/26/2014

Equation Editor (EE) Quick Reference Guide -



Tutorial Options

Tutorials Available to Review:

- TestNav 8 Tutorial Overview of the testing environment
- Equation Editor Quick Reference Guide for certain grade bands
- Text to Speech available for both ELA/L* and Math
- Graphing Calculator Windows and Mac
- Printable Paper-Based Student Tutorials (available in grade bands)
- Online Student Tutorials

* ELA/L text-to-speech test edition is only available for students with disabilities meeting the requirements for this accommodation

Name	Available Format	Grades			
TestNav8 (TN8) Tutorial Instruction students on navigation through the TestNav8 testing environment	Web-based	3-11			
Student Tutorials Provides instruction on how to use each item type in the selected testing environment (info on item types)	Paper-based Web-based	<u>Paper-</u> <u>ELA</u> 3-5 6-8 High School	<u>based</u> <u>Math</u> 3-5 6-7 8 High School	<u>Web-</u> <u>ELA</u> 3-5 6-8 High School	<u>Math</u> 3-5 6-8 High School
Sample Items Provides additional practice. This option does not include instructions on how to answer items	Web-based	ELA 3-5 6-8 High School		<u>Math</u> 3-5 6-8 High School	
		РВА		EOY	
Name	Available Format	Grade Band for ELA	Grade Band for Mathematics	Grade Band for ELA	Grade Band for Mathematics
Practice Tests Provides a hand-on experience to the PARCC assessment. The PearsonAccess ^{next} format can be during a school's Infrastructure Trail.	Paper-based Web-based PearsonAccess ^{next}	3 4 5 6 7 8 9 10 11	Coming (January)	Coming (January)	3 4 5 6 7 8 Algebra I Algebra II Geometry



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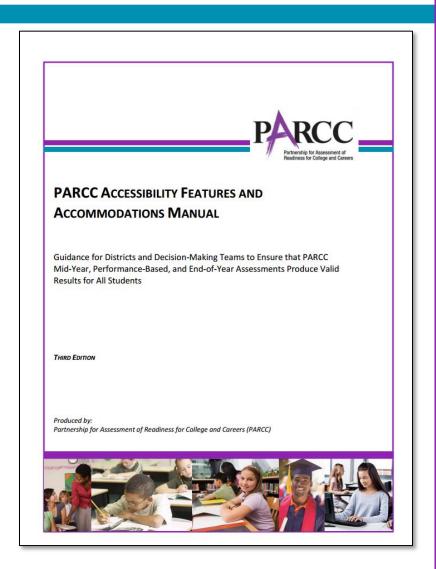
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PARCC Accessibility Features and Accommodations Manual

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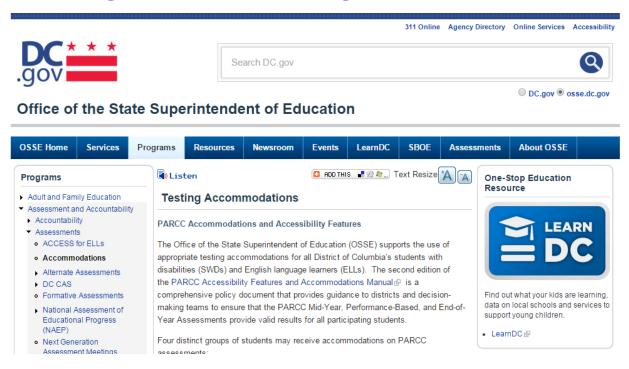


PARCC Accessibility Features and Accommodations

State-specific Procedures for Accessibility and Accommodation

 Further guidance and resources on Accessibility and Accommodations in DC is available at

http://osse.dc.gov/service/testing-accommodations





Administrative Considerations

School-based teams (including IEP, 504, or EL teams as appropriate) may determine if any student requires any of the following test administration considerations:

- Small group testing
- Frequent breaks
- Time of day
- Separate or alternate location
- Specified area or seating
- Adaptive and specialized equipment or furniture

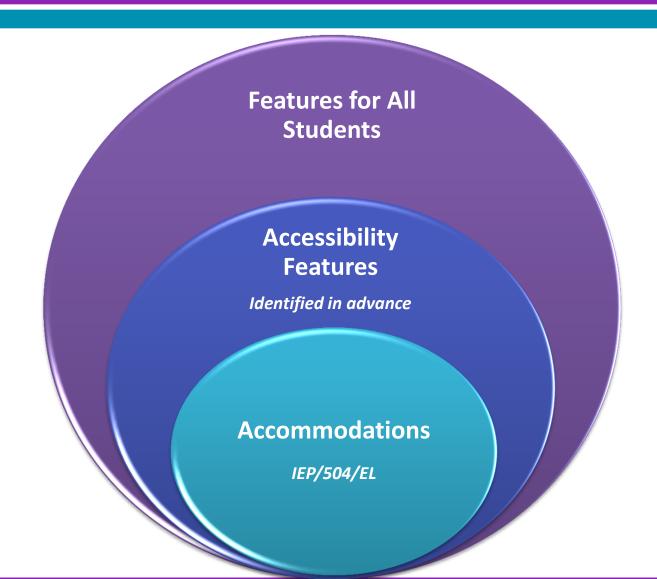


Accessibility Features and Accommodations for Students

- Accessibility Features for All Students
- Accessibility Features Identified in Advance
- Accommodations:
 - Students with Disabilities (SWD)
 - English Learners (EL)
 - English Learners with Disabilities



Types of Accessibility Features and Accommodations





Line Reader Tool

Magnification/Enlargement Device

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Accessibility Features for All Students

Line Reader (Straight Edge)

Magnification/Enlargement Device

Accessibility Features for All Students

Computer-Based Testing Paper-Based Testing

Audio Amplification Auditory Aids

Blank Paper Blank Paper

Visual Aids/Organizers Eliminate Answer Choices

Visual Aids/Organizers Flag Items for Review

General Administration Directions General Administration Directions

Clarified Clarified

General Administration Directions Read General Administration Directions Read

Aloud and Repeated as Needed **Aloud and Repeated**

Highlight Tool Highlighter **Headphones or Noise Buffers Headphones or Noise Buffers**



Accessibility Features for All Students

Accessibility Features for All Students

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Computer-Based Testing	Paper-Based Testing		
NotePad	Scratch Paper		
Pop-Up Glossary	Glossary in Footnotes		
Redirect Student to Test	Redirect Student to Test		
External Spell Check	External Spell Check Device		
Writing Tools in TestNav: Bold, Italicize, Underline, Bullet	Bold, Italicize, Underline, Bullet with Writing Instrument		



Accessibility Features *Identified* in *Advance*

Accessibility Features (for all Grades/Courses)

Answer Masking

Color Contrast

Text-to-Speech for the Mathematics Assessments (CBT only)*

Human Reader or Human Signer for the Mathematics Assessments*

Note: these accessibility features must be identified in advance and enabled in PearsonAccess^{next} for the computer-based administration, and prepared in advance for paper-based testing.

^{*} Information on the selection of this accommodation & the notation is available in the Accessibility Features and Accommodations Manual..



Accommodations for Students

Accommodations for Students with Disabilities (SWD)

- Presentation Accommodations
- Response Accommodations
- Timing and Scheduling Accommodations



Students With Disabilities – Presentation Accommodations

Presentation Accommodations for Students with Disabilities

Assistive Technology

Screen Reader Version for Mathematics

Refreshable Braille Display with Screen Reader Version for ELA/Literacy

Hard Copy Braille Edition

Tactile Graphics

Large Print Edition

Paper-Based Edition

Closed-Captioning of Multimedia for ELA/Literacy Assessments



Students With Disabilities – Presentation Accommodations

Presentation Accommodations for Students with Disabilities (continued)

Text-to-Speech for the ELA/Literacy Assessments, including items, response options, and passages

Screen Reader Version for ELA/Literacy, including items, response options, and passages

ASL Video for the ELA/Literacy Assessments, including items, response options, and passages

* More information is available in the Accessibility Features and Accommodations Manual for selection implementation and notation.

Human Reader/Human Signer for the ELA/Literacy Assessments, including items, response options, and passages

ASL Video for the Mathematics Assessments

Human Signer for Test Directions

Student Reads Assessment Aloud to Themselves*



Students With Disabilities – Response Accommodations

Response Accommodations for Students with Disabilities

Assistive Technology

Braille Note-taker

Braille Writer

Calculation Device and

Mathematics Tools

(on Calculator Sections of Mathematics Assessments)

Calculation Device and

Mathematics Tools

(on Non-Calculator Sections of Mathematics Assessments)*

* Information on the selection of this accommodation & the notation is available in the Accessibility Features and Accommodations Manual...



Students With Disabilities – Response Accommodations

Response Accommodations for Students with Disabilities (continued)

ELA/Literacy Selected Response Speech-to-Text

ELA/Literacy Selected Response Human Scribe

ELA/Literacy Selected Response Human Signer

ELA/Literacy Selected Response External Assistive Technology Device

Mathematics Response Speech-to-Text

Mathematics Response Human Scribe

Mathematics Response Human Signer

Mathematics Response Assistive Technology Device



Students With Disabilities – Response Accommodations

Response Accommodations for Students with Disabilities (continued)

ELA/Literacy Constructed Response Speech-to-Text*

ELA/Literacy Constructed Response Human Scribe*

ELA/Literacy Constructed Response Human Signer*

ELA/Literacy Constructed Response Assistive Technology Device*

Word Prediction External Device

Monitor Test Response

Answers Recorded in Test Book

^{*} More information is available in the Accessibility Features and Accommodations Manual for selection implementation and notation.



Students With Disabilities – Timing and Scheduling

Timing and Scheduling Accommodations for Students with Disabilities

Extended Time



Accommodations for English Learners

- Accessibility Features for All Students
- Accessibility Features Identified in Advance
- Accommodations for Students with Disabilities (SWD)
- Accommodations for English Learners (EL)



Accommodations for English Learners

Accommodations for English Learners

Extended Time

Word-to-Word Dictionary (English/Native Language)

Mathematics Response Speech-to-Text

Mathematics Response Human Scribe

General Administration Directions Read Aloud and Repeated in Student's Native Language (by test administrator)

General Administration Directions Clarified in Student's Native Language (by test administrator)

Online Translation of the Mathematics Assessment in Spanish (or other translated languages as needed)



Accommodations for English Learners

Accommodations for English Learners (Continued)

Paper-Based Edition of the Mathematics Assessment in Spanish (or other translated languages as needed)

Large Print Edition of the Mathematics Assessments in Spanish (or other translated languages as needed)

Text-to-Speech for the Mathematics Assessments in Spanish (or other translated language as needed)*

Human Reader for the Mathematics Assessments in Spanish (or other translated language as needed)*

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Personal Needs Profile (PNP)

What is a Personal Needs Profile?

The Personal Needs Profile (PNP) is used to gather information regarding a student's testing condition, materials, or accessibility features and accommodations that are needed to take a PARCC assessment.



Personal Needs Profile (PNP)

What student information is collected and where?

- 1. Embedded Accessibility features, identified in advance, that need to be enabled (via PNP File Layout/User Interface).
- 2. Embedded Accommodations that need to be enabled (via PNP File Layout/User Interface).
- Externally-provided accessibility features, identified in advance, and accommodations (via PNP File Layout/User Interface).
- 4. Hard copy accommodated editions that required advance shipping (via Student Registration File).



Personal Needs Profile (PNP)

- Frequent Breaks
- Separate/Alternate Location
- Small Testing Group
- Specialized Equipment of Furniture
- Specified Area or Setting
- Time of Day
- Answer Masking
- Color Contrast
- Text-to-Speech for Mathematics
- Human Reader or Human Signer for Mathematics
- ASL Video
- Assistive Technology (AT) Screen Reader Application
- Closed Captioning for ELA/L
- Human Reader or Human Signer for ELA/L
- Refreshable Braille Display for ELA/L
- Tactile Graphics
- Text-to-Speech for ELA/L
- Answers Recorded in Test Book

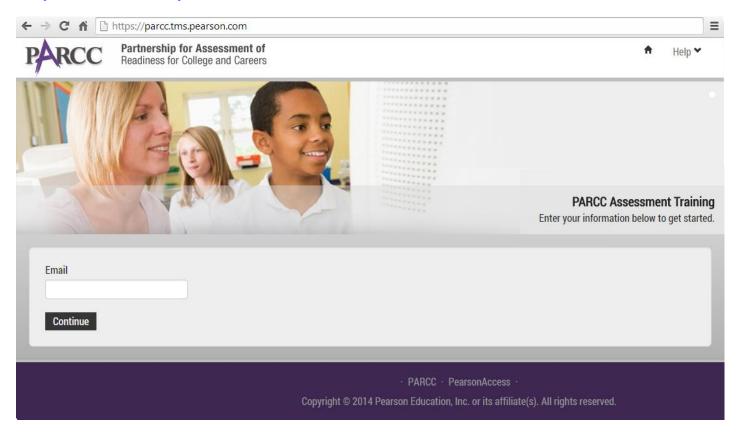
- Braille Response
- Calculation Device and Mathematics Tools
- ELA/L Constructed Response
- ELA/L Selected Response or Technology Enhanced Items
- Mathematics Response
- Monitor Test Response
- Word Prediction
- General Administration Directions Clarified in the student's Native Language (by test administrator)
- General Administration Directions Read Aloud and Repeated as Needed in the student's Native Language (by test administrator)
- Mathematics Response EL
- Translation of the Mathematics Assessment in Text-to-Speech
- Translation of the Mathematics Assessment Online
- Word to Word Dictionary (English/Native Language)
- Extended Time



Personal Needs Profile (PNP) - Training

Personal Needs Profile Training Module

https://parcc.tms.pearson.com





Field Name

Assessment Accommodation:

Individualized Educational Plan

Column

AS

(IEP)

Student Registration

PARCC Definitions and Notes

Individualized Educational Plan

accommodations needed for a

given assessment.

Expected

Y = Yes

Blank

Which fields in the Student Registration indicate Accessibility Features and Accommodations?

			Values
AQ	Assessment Accommodation: English learner (EL)	English learner accommodations needed for a given assessment.	Y = Yes Blank
AR	Assessment Accommodation: 504	504 accommodations needed for a given assessment.	Y = Yes Blank



Paper Test

Translation of the

Paper (Spanish)

Signer

Large Print

Alternate Representation –

Mathematics Assessment in

Human Reader or Human

Braille with Tactile Graphics

AT

AU

AV

AW

AX

Student Registration

Student requires paper and pencil test

format as an approved accommodation.

Used to assign the form administered for

paper testing based on another language

The paper test is read aloud or signed to the

student by the test administrator (Human

PARCC to provide Large Print Booklet for student to read. Answer Document will be

the standard edition so that a Proctor can

A hard copy Braille test booklet is provided

transcribe the student's responses.

with embedded tactile graphics.

other than English.

Reader).

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Column	Field Name		PARCC Definitions and Notes	Ехр

pected Values

SPA = Spanish

HumanReadAloud

HumanSigner

Y = Yes

Blank

Blank

Blank

Y = Yes

Blank

Y = Yes

Blank



Unique Accommodations

- For the PARCC Assessment, unique accommodation requests must be submitted to OSSE no later than February 13, 2015.
- Refer to Appendix F of the PARCC Accessibility Features and Accommodations Manual, online: Unique Accommodation Request Form.
- Nonstandard accommodations requests must:

- Be individualized for each student.
- Be based on a student need as documented on the student's current IEP or 504 Plan as an accommodation for both instruction and assessment, and the plan must not expire prior to the assessment window.
- Be submitted annually.
- Be signed by the LEA Test Integrity Coordinator and LEA Special Education Director.



Emergency Accommodation

- A case where a student needs a new accommodation immediately due to unforeseen circumstances.
 - Cases could include students who have a recently-fractured limb (e.g., arm, wrist, or shoulder); whose only pair of eyeglasses have broken; or a student returning from a serious or prolonged illness or injury.
- Emergency accommodation form must be completed.
- See your state policy on approval of emergency accommodations.
- Refer to Appendix G of the PARCC Accessibility Features and Accommodations Manual, online: Use of an Emergency Accommodation on a PARCC Assessment.



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PearsonAccessnext: LEA and School Responsibilities

- LEA Responsibilities
 - Carried out for entireLEA
 - Oversees school testing coordinators
 - Pearson Access User setup

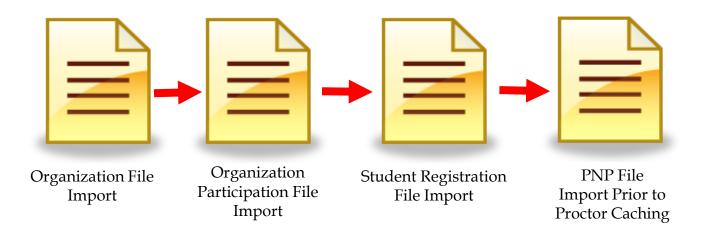
- School Responsibilities
 - Day-of-testing procedures
 - Test administration
 - Maintain test security
 - Trains TestAdministrators
 - Pearson Access session setup



PearsonAccess^{next}: LEA and School Responsibilities

Steps Your State, LEA and School Test Coordinators Will Do to Prepare for PARCC Computer-based Tests*:

- 1. The LEA and School Test Coordinator must import the Student Registration File for both the PBA and EOY Administrations.
- 2. Import student's Personal Needs Profile (PNP) information.
- Create additional users accounts for district/school staff.





PearsonAccess^{next}: LEA and School Responsibilities

Steps to Prepare for PARCC Computer-based Tests:

- 1. Create, manage, and edit test sessions.
- 2. Train Test Administrators on how to manage and monitor Test Sessions in PearsonAccess^{next}.
- 3. Pre-cache test content.
 - https://parcc.tms.pearson.com





High level Agenda Topics

- Administrative Tasks to Complete Before, During, and After Testing
- Test Administration, Test Schedule, Testing Times
- Student Readiness
- Accessibility Features & Accommodations
- LEA and School Responsibilities
- Management of Materials
- PearsonAccess^{next}
- Support



Initial Materials Order

How Is It Generated and What Is Included in an Initial Order:

- 1. Import your Student Registration*
- You will receive test materials including paper-based accommodations for paper-based accommodated student, if indicated in SRI.
- Tactile graphics for computer-based testing will not be included in your initial order.

^{*} If your district was approved for an early testing window, these dates may be slightly different.



Missed Initial Order Submission

Late Student Registration Submissions for Spring Assessments:

If you missed the deadline for the initial administration orders or have new students to register, follow these steps:

- 1. Add student registration information for students not yet registered in PearsonAccess^{next}.
- 2. Submit an order for additional materials.

Note: Your LEA may choose to do this process at the LEA or school level, please check with your LEA Test Coordinator.



Steps to Order Additional Materials

Orders Can Be Submitted by Users with the Following Roles*:

- LEA Test Coordinator
- Non-School/Institution Test Coordinator
- School/Institution Test Coordinator

*Note that an "add-on role" must be added for the user account to import files.

An additional materials order is a three-step process on the *Orders & Shipments* page of PearsonAccess^{next}.

- 1. Verify the shipping information.
- 2. Enter a quantity.
- 3. Review and complete the ordering process.



Key Information to Order Additional Materials

Keep in mind when ordering additional material:

- Do not submit additional orders prior to receiving your initial shipment of test materials. All test materials should be inventoried prior to any additional order.
- Once an additional order is approved, please allow 4-5 business days for shipment delivery
- Test Booklets will be shipped in packs of 5.
- Additional orders are packaged by school and shipped to the school.



Quantity Guideline for Additional Materials

Additional Material Guidelines

- Test Coordinator Manuals 1 per School
- Test Administrator Manuals 1 per 25 students
- School Header Sheet 1 per grade/subject testing
- Scorable Return Label 1 per 25 students
- Nonscorable Return labels 1 per 25 students
- UPS Return labels 1 per 25 students
- Paper Bands 1 per 20 students
- Math Reference Sheets 1 per Math student (grades 5-8 and high school)



Additional Materials Window

2015-Spring Additional Order Windows:

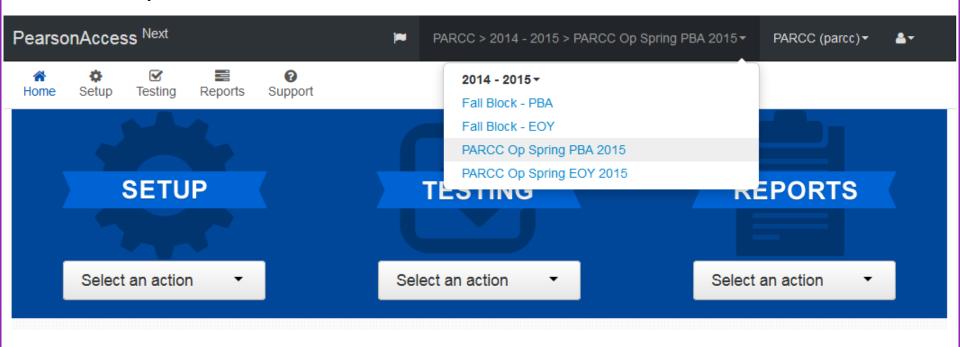
- Please order at least 5 days prior to the test administration.
- It is the Test Coordinator's responsibility to understand the additional order window.

Component	Additional Materials Window
Performance-Based Assessment (PBA)	February 16 to March 27, 2015
End-of-Year (EOY)	March 30 to May 22, 2015



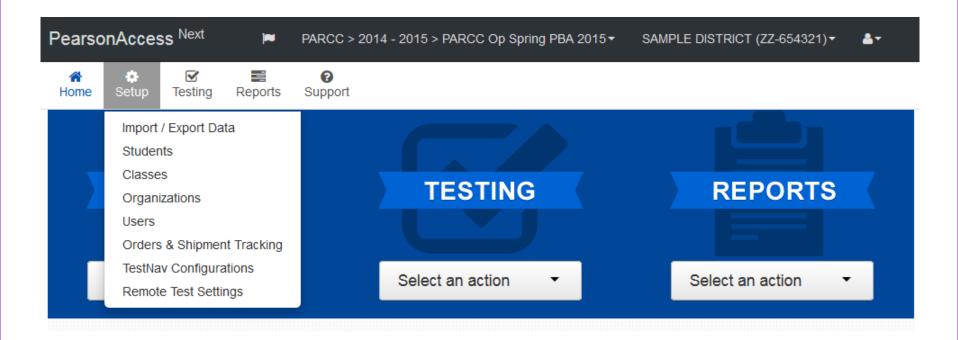
Requesting an Additional Order

Select the appropriate Administration at the top of the screen and organization if needed. You only need to do this process for Paper-Based materials.



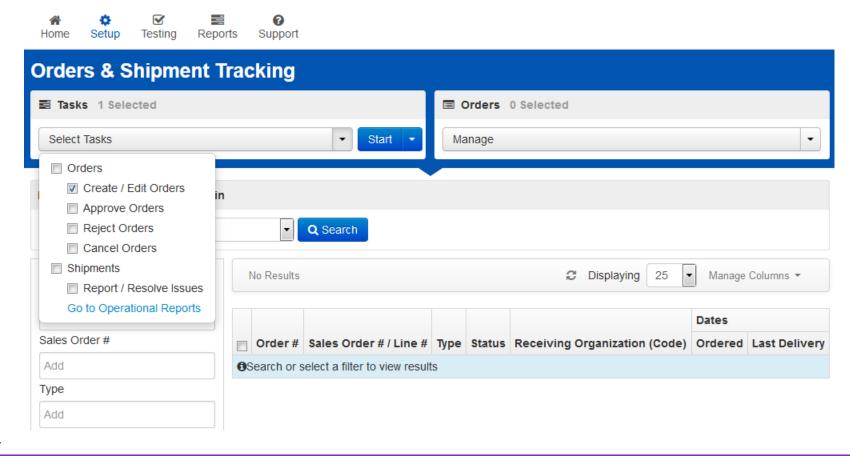


Under the Setup, select Orders and Shipment Tracking.



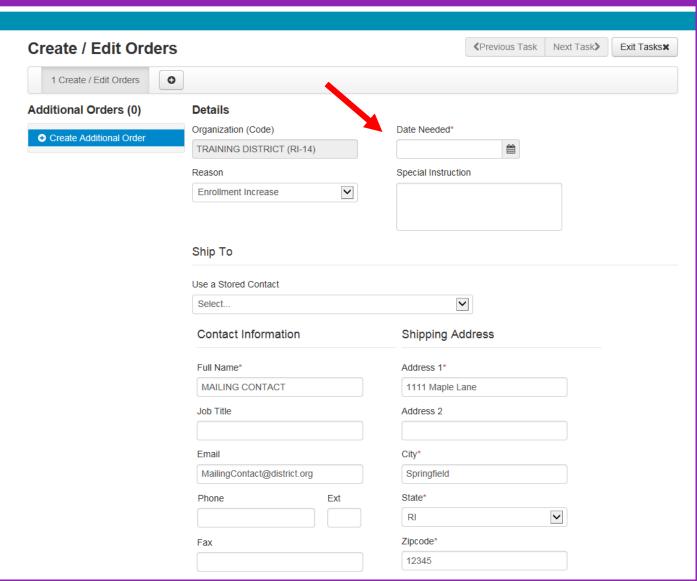


Under the Select Tasks dropdown menu check Create/Edit Orders and click the Start button.



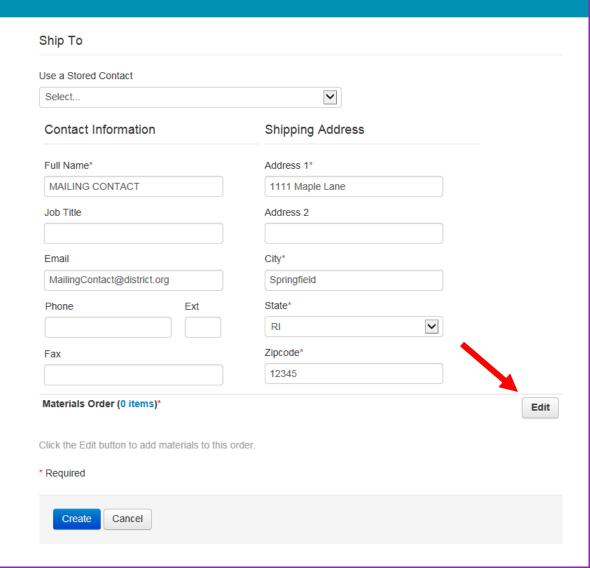


Fill out the Details and Ship To sections.





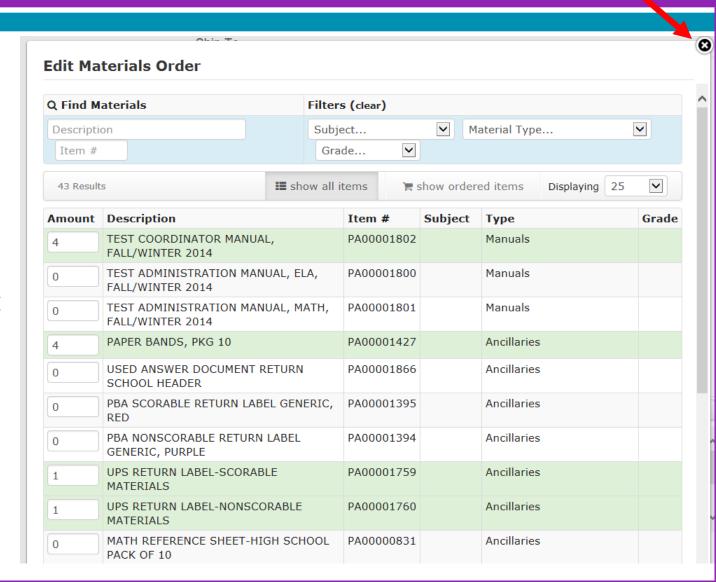
Next click the **Edit** button that is located on the lower part of this screen.





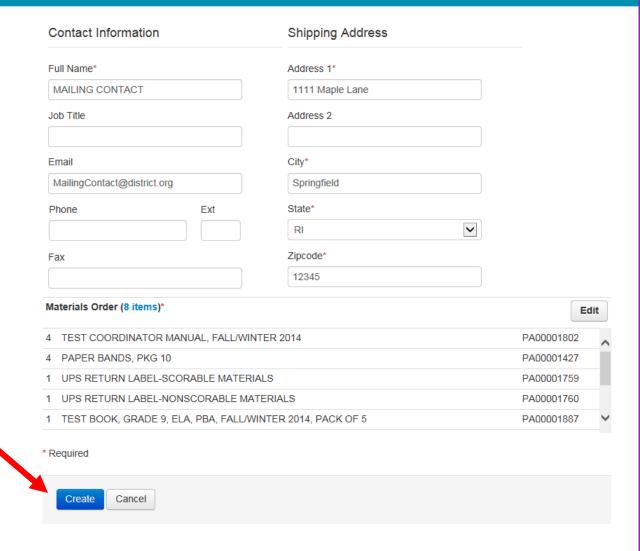
Fill out the Materials Order screen.

When complete click the X button in the upper right hand corner.





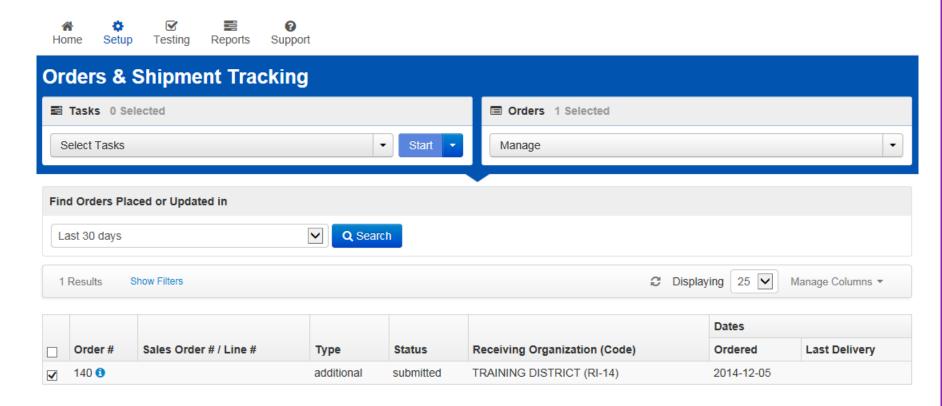
Click the **Create** button once you have reviewed that all your requested items are listed.





Additional Order - Status

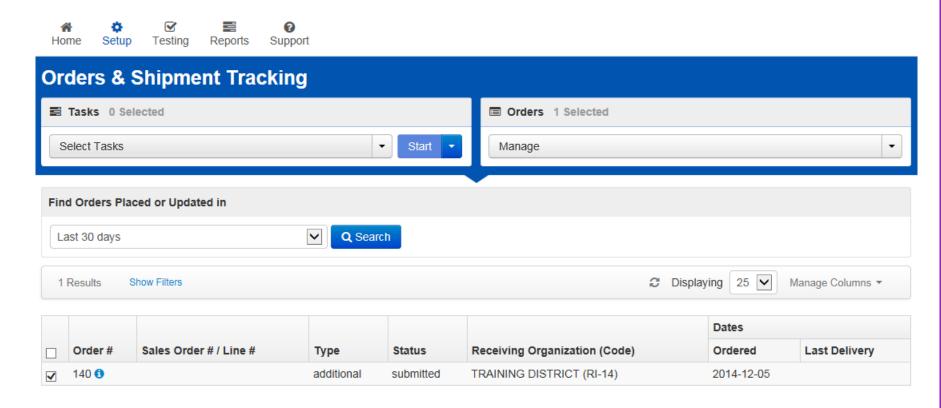
The Additional Order will now be listed as "submitted" on the Orders & Shipment Tracking screen.





Additional Order - Timing

The Additional Order will now be listed as "submitted" on the Orders & Shipment Tracking screen.





Receiving Test Materials

- Initial materials will be received 2 week prior to your district start date.
- Materials are packaged by school and shipped to the School Test Coordinator for your organization.
- Quantities, which include 5% overage per school, are derived from the information provided in the Student Registration File.



Contents of Initial Shipment (If applicable to your school)

- Test Coordinator Kit
 - Resealable plastic bag (holds all materials)
 - Paper Bands
 - Pearson Scorable and Nonscorable Labels (in different colors)
 - UPS Ground return labels for Scorable and Nonscorable materials
 - Pre-printed/pre-gridded Used Test Booklet/Return School Header
 - Student ID Labels and Roster
 - Return Instructions Sheet
 - Shipping Carrier Return Instructions
- Packing List and Chain-of-Custody Form
- Test Coordinator Manuals
- Test Administrator Manuals
- Test Booklets
- Math Reference Sheets, Rulers, and Protractors, if applicable
- Large Print kits
- Read Aloud kits



Chain-of-Custody Forms

- District Chain-of-Custody Form for Initial Shipment of Materials Form indicates:
 - A full list of materials within the district
 - Form and security numbers
 - Quantity sent
 - Delivery information for each secure test material
 - LTC and STC Sign-off for quantity received
- School Chain-of-Custody Form indicates:
 - Security numbers for each secure test material
 - Student and Test Administrator assignment
 - Date and time for checked-out and checked-in of materials
- District Chain-of-Custody Form for District Overage of Materials indicates:
 - Security numbers for each overage material
 - Date and signature lines for the LTC and STC
- Computer-based Chain-of Custody Form
 - Materials Moved from Locked Central Storage Area to Classroom
 - Materials Moved from Classroom to Locked Central Storage Area
 - Materials Securely Destroyed by Shredding



Documenting and Storing Test Materials

Upon Receipt of Test Materials, Test Coordinators should:

- Remove the Packing List, Chain-of-Custody Form, and Test Coordinator Kit from Box 1.
- ☐ Inventory materials immediately to verify that there is an adequate number for administration.

NOTE: Count through the shrink wrap only. Do not open shrink-wrapped packages until two school days before testing, and do not distribute materials before the first day of testing.

- Order additional material, if necessary.
- Keep all test materials in a centrally locked storage area, with limited access, until distributing them to the Test Administrators.
- Remind Test Administrators that all test materials must be distributed only on test administration day and must be returned to secure storage immediately after testing.



Documenting and Storing Test Materials

- ☐ Keep all boxes in which the test materials were delivered, and use them to return Scorable and Nonscorable materials after testing is completed.
- Report the following occurrences immediately to Pearson using the Form to Report Contaminated, Damaged, or Missing Materials (see the Test Coordinator Manual):
 - Non-receipt of any packages listed on the School Packing List
 - Discovery of a damaged test material
 - Discovery of missing or duplicate sequence numbers on any Test Booklets



Packing Materials for Paper-Based Tests Only

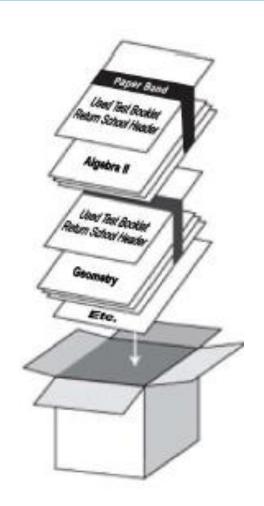
Checklist to prepare materials for packing:

- ☐ Scorable Test Booklets contain a Student ID Label or hand-gridded student demographic data.
- School Header Sheets completed for each grade level and subject.
- Scorable and Nonscorable Materials are packed in the boxes in which they were delivered.
- Boxes are not overfilled.
- One return shipping label is placed on the top of each box.
- ☐ The sequence of boxes is indicated on each return shipping label.



After Testing: Packing Scorables See TCM for

See TCM for reference PBT: p. 50



Packing **Scorable materials** for Return Shipment:

- Place all materials in the shipping boxes.
- One school, per box. Do not combine two school's test materials in one box.
- □ Once all materials are in boxes, indicate the sequence of boxes being returned for the school (e.g., Box 1 of 3, Box 2 of 3, and Box 3 of 3) on the return shipping label.
- Do not mix Scorable and Nonscorable materials in the same box.



After Testing: Packing Scorables

See TCM for reference: PBT: p. 50-52, 54

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UPS Ground Labels

Different Colored Labels

PBA: red label

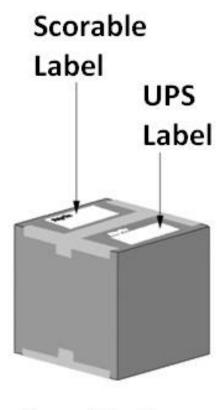
EOY: green label

PBA: red label

EOY: green label



After Testing: Preparing Scorables



Scorable box







After Testing: Preparing Nonscorables

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PBA and EOY Nonscorable	PBA and EOY Nonscorable
(District and School)	(District and School)

Different Ship-to Address on the **UPS Ground Labels**

PBA: Purple label

PBA: Purple label

EOY: Yellow label

Cedar Rapids, IA

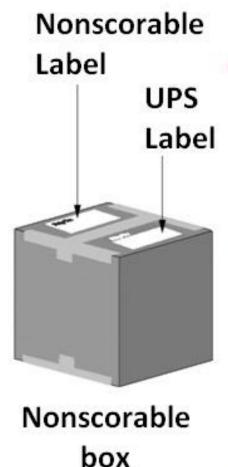
EOY: Yellow label

Austin, TX

Different Colored Labels



After Testing: Packing Nonscorables









After Testing: Arrange for Pickup

Arrange for Pickup

Contact UPS at 800-823-7459 to schedule pickup:

- ☐ Pickups must be scheduled at least 24 hours in advance and no later than one week after the completion of testing.
- ☐ UPS customer service is available 24/7. Tell UPS you are calling about a pickup request for Pearson and will be using their "Return Service."
- Once pickup is confirmed, you will get a confirmation number from UPS that can be referenced if questions or changes arise.





PARCC DC Training Technical Overview

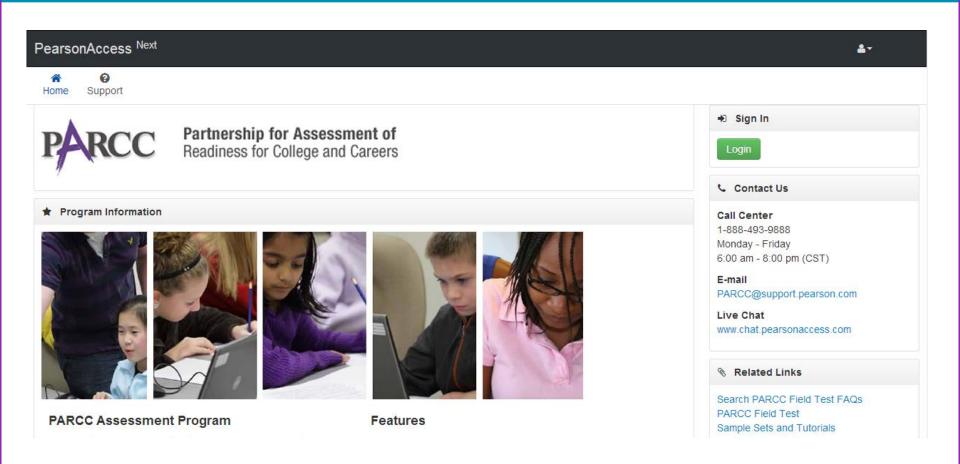


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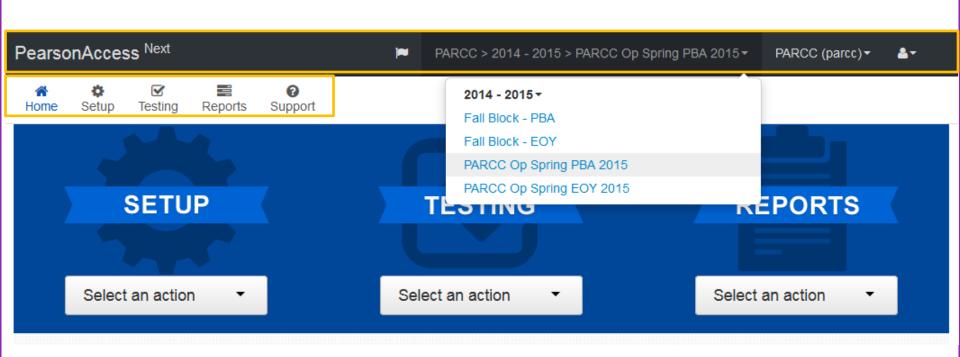


PearsonAccessnext - Login



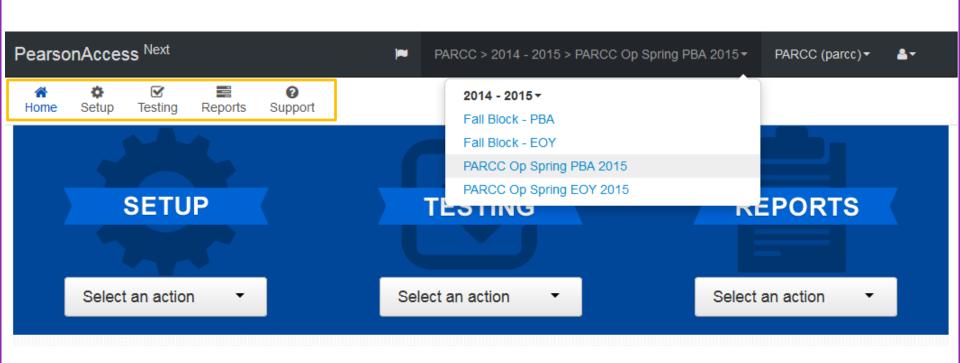


PearsonAccess^{next} – Home Page



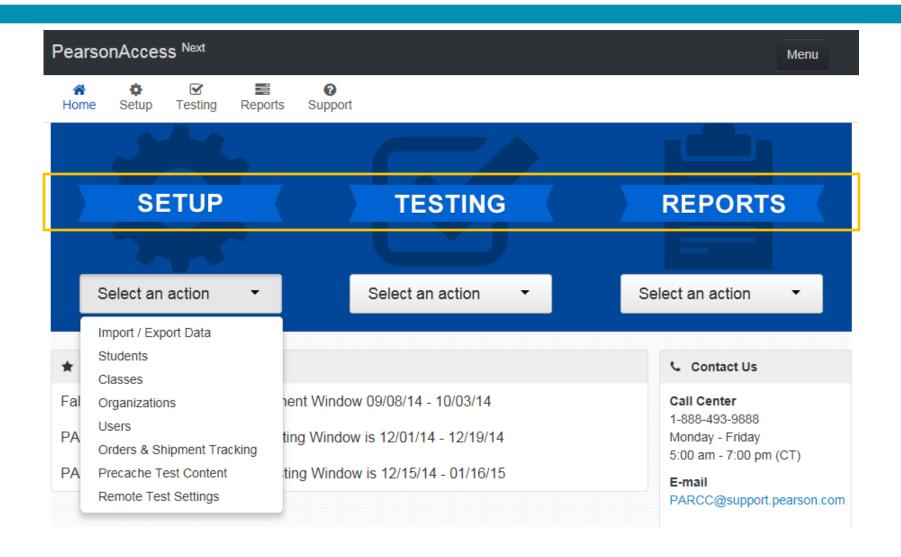


PearsonAccess^{next} – Home Page





PearsonAccess^{next} – Home





Organization Participation

Verify that your school's information in PearsonAccess^{next}:

- Click the "Setup" Button and select "Organizations"
- Under "Find Organizations" type in the name of your organization and click the "Search" button.
- From the Results check the name of your organization.
- From the "Select Tasks" dropdown menu check "Manage Participation" and click the "Start" button.
- Verify that the "Participating" box is checked.
- Verify this checked in both PBA and EOY administrations.



User Accounts

- User Roles PearsonAccess^{next} users must be assigned roles.
- Permissions Each User Role contains a set of permissions that determine which tasks that specific User Role can perform in PearsonAccess^{next}. Permissions are bundled into User Roles.



User Accounts – Base Roles

Base Roles have been created with abilities that generally align to the organization level and title of the user. A user account needs at least one base role to be functional.

Base Roles:

- State Role Assigned to state-level user accounts.
- LEA/District Test Coordinator Role Assigned to LEA/District Test Coordinator user accounts.
- **Non-School Institution Test Coordinator Role** Assigned to Non-School Institution Test Coordinator user accounts (Same abilities as LEA/District Test Coordinator).
- **School Institution Test Coordinator Role** Assigned to School Test Coordinator user accounts.
- **Test Administrator Role** Assigned to users who will administer computer-based tests.
- **Technology Coordinator Role** Assigned to users who will support technology for computer-based tests.



User Accounts – Add-on Roles

Your LEA Test Coordinator may assign you one or more of the following add-on roles. You may need to give one or more of the following add-on roles to Test Administrators or other members of your staff.

Add-on Roles

- **Organization Role** Assigned to users who will create and modify organizations within PearsonAccess^{next}.
- Enrollment Role Assigned to users who will set an organization as participating in a test administration and enter enrollment counts.
- Request Additional Order Role Assigned to users who will place an additional order.
- Delete Student Role Assigned to users who will be able to delete students from PearsonAccess^{next}.
- **Sensitive Data Role** Assigned to users who will be able to view and edit Student Sensitive Data.
- PNP Role Assigned to users who will submit a personal needs profile through PearsonAccess^{next}.



User Role Matrix

- User's role will determine the functionality the user can access.
- User Role Matrix can be found on the Support page of PearsonAccess^{next}.

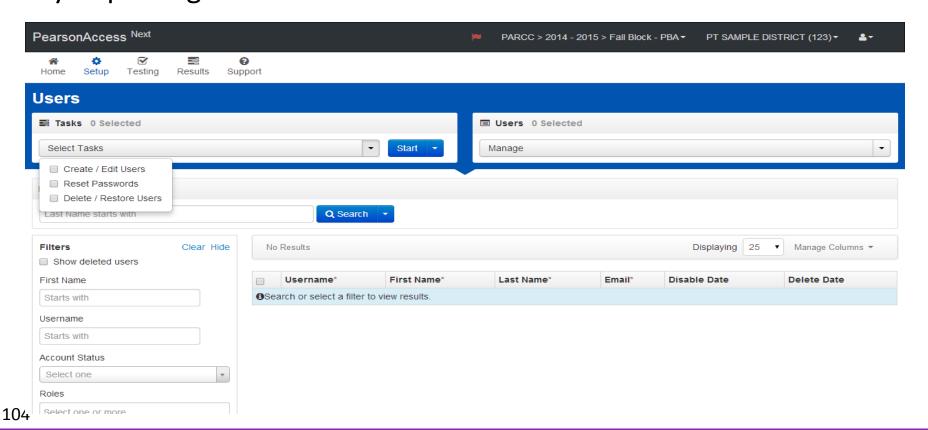
User Role Matrix

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Ħ	Ability	State Role	LEA/District Test Coordinator Role	Non-School Institution Test Coordinator Role	School Institution Test Coordinator Role	Test Administrator Role	Technology Coordinator Role	Organization Role	Enrollment Role	Request Additional Order Role	Approve Additional Order Role	Delete Student Role	Sensitive Data Role	Notes
	Organizations													
1	File Import / Export - Organizations - Import/Export							•						A user account must be assigned the Organization Add-on Role in addition to either the State Role, LEA/District Test Coordinator Role, Non-School Institution Test Coordinator Role, or School Institution Test Coordinator Role to import or export an organization file.
2	Organizations - View	•	•	•	•		•							
ιđ	Organizations - Create/Delete							••						A user account must be assigned the Organization Add-on Role in addition to either the State Role, LEA/District Test Coordinator Role, Non-School Institution Test Coordinator Role, or



User Interface for Creating User Accounts

Authorized LEA and school personnel will be able to create individual staff user accounts within PearsonAccess^{next} manually or by importing a file.

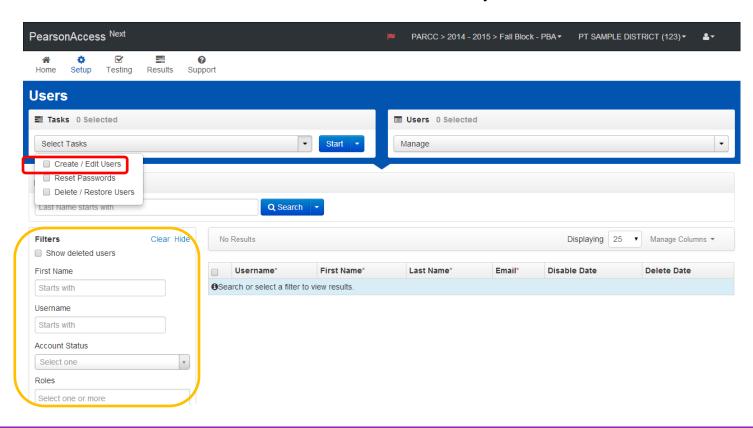




Editing User Accounts

Create / Edit Users:

Allows authorized personnel to view and update existing accounts, as well as create new accounts manually.

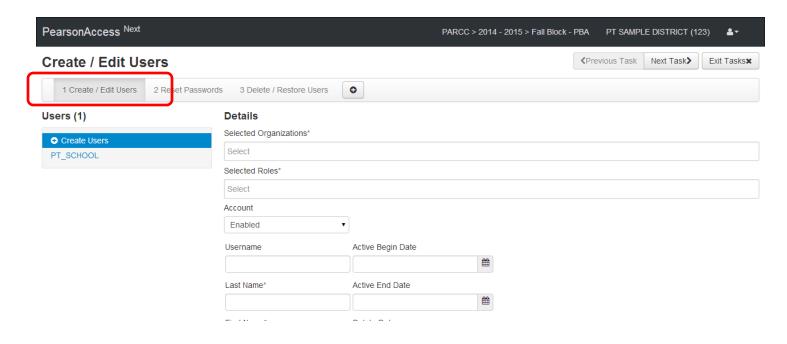




Manually Creating a New User Account

Manually Create a New User Account:

A user's role and organization will determine the functionality they can access.

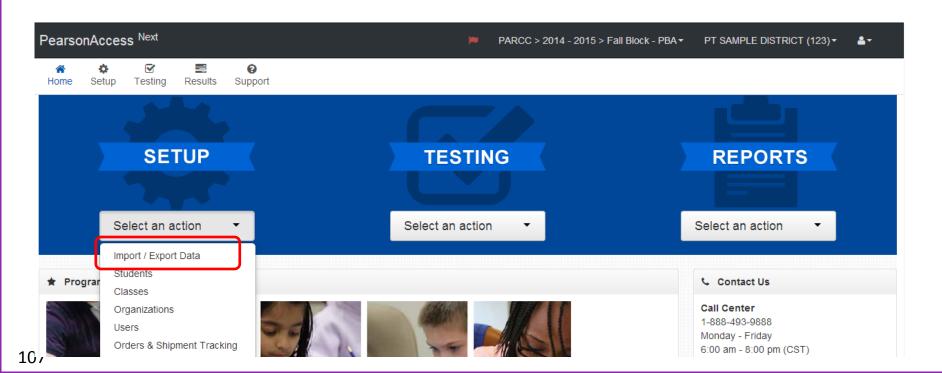




Creating New User Accounts Through a File Import

Importing a User File:

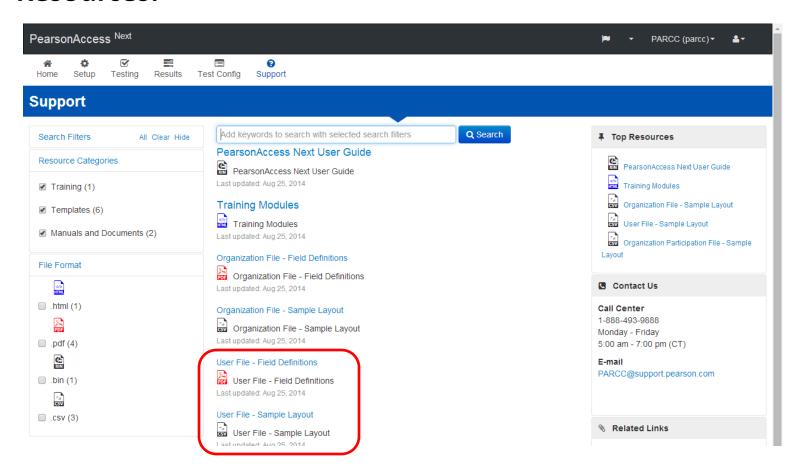
User accounts may also be created or maintained by importing a User File; this is especially helpful when working with accounts in bulk quantities.





Creating New User Accounts - Templates

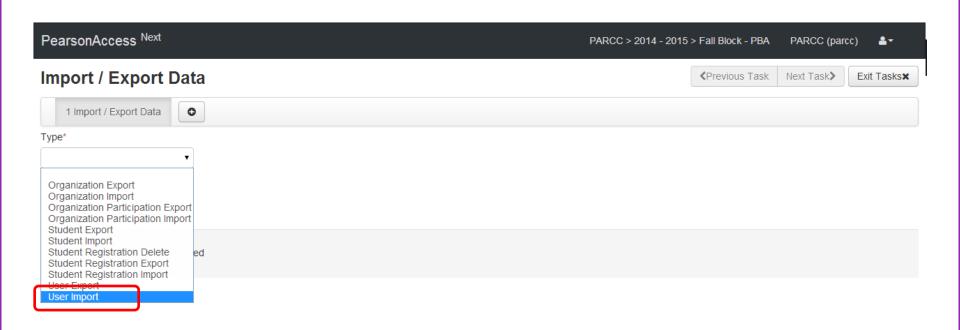
Resources:





Importing a User File

Import a User File for processing at Setup > Import/Export Data > select Import/Export Data from the Task box > click Start





Customer Support for User Accounts

- PARCC Customer Support agents can:
 - Reset passwords
 - Unlock accounts for LEA Test Coordinator accounts
- Agents cannot:
 - Create accounts
 - Lock/unlock accounts other than LEA Test Coordinator accounts
 - Update email addresses
 - Delete/undelete accounts



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Technology Guidelines







₱ Technology Setup





I■ Bulletins



7 Technology Setup

Are you prepared for your computer-based PARCC assessment? While your students are preparing their minds for the assessment, please use our tools and information to prepare your technology, too. Confirm technical readiness for your state, district, or school to use TestNav, an engaging and interactive testing experience for today's students, who learn and play in a digital environment.

Select your state to enter TestNav

Coming Soon ▼

SystemCheck

See if your system is ready for test administration.

SystemCheck ▼

Proctor Caching

Proctor caching enables a Test Administrator to securely download test content only once from the Pearson server to the district or school. Please find more information and download your proctor caching installer here.

Proctor Caching Installer & Guide ▼

Technology Guidelines

View the information on hardware and software requirements for administering the PARCC tests

Technology Guidelines ▼

Technical User Guides

Technical User Guides are product guides to be used by Test Coordinators, Test Administrators and technology personnel for technical instructions and troubleshooting.

Technical User Guides ▼



Technology Requirements Categories

Minimum Specifications

apply to existing technology inventories

Recommended Specifications

apply to existing technology inventories and new

hardware purchases



Devices, Operating System, and Browser Specifications

Operating Systems and Browser Combination Specifications for each Device:

- Windows desktop, laptop, and tablet
 - Certain versions of Windows OS/Internet Explorer, Chrome, or Firefox
- Mac desktop and laptop
 - Certain versions of Mac OS/Safari or Firefox
- Chromebook
 - Certain versions of Chromebook OS/No browser required
 - NOTE: Must download and install TestNav 8 App for Chromebook
- iPad
 - Certain versions iOS/No browser required
 - NOTE: Must download and install TestNav 8 App for iPad
- Android tablet and Linux (desktop and laptop)
 - TBD/TBD



Other Specifications for Each Device

- Memory
- Processor
- Connectivity
- Screen Size
- Screen Resolution
- Input Devices such as Keyboard, Mouse, or Touchpad
- Assistive Technologies
- Headphone/Earphone
- Microphone
- Browser Dependencies
- Firewalls, Content, and Spam Filters
- Bandwidth Recommendations
- Security



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Configure the Network

Network Configurations:

- TestNav 8 Domains and Ports:
 - *.testnav.com:80, 443
 - s3.amazonaws.com:80
 - *.pearsontestcontent.com:80
 - *.thawte.com:80
- Pre-caching Local Network Ports:
 - **-** 4480, 4481
- PearsonAccess^{next} Domain and Ports:
 - *.pearsonaccessnext.com:80, 443
- PearsonAccess^{next} emails:
 - @support.pearson.com



Proctor Caching for TestNav Introduction

Proctor Caching is Pearson-supplied software that is used in conjunction with TestNav to reduce bandwidth requirements and accelerate the delivery of test content.

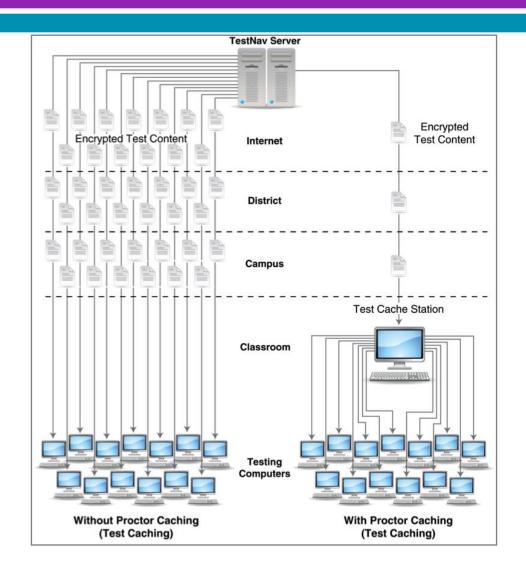
Proctor Caching:

- allows you to pre-cache test content to your local network before a test,
- reduces the burden on your Internet service provider (ISP) by eliminating redundancy in requests for test content, and
- stores an encrypted local copy of all pre-cached tests.





Proctor Caching – The Network





Proctor Caching Requirements

- Proctor Caching runs on Windows and Mac OS X.
- It does not require an underlying server-based operating system.
- Proctor Caching hardware requirements can be found at http://parcc.pearson.com/technology-setup/.
- TCP Ports include: 80 (Internet), 4480, and 4481 (Local Network).
- Proctor Caching requires a fixed internal IP address.
- For setting up an upstream proxy, refer to the Windows or Mac "Tips on Proctor Caching" section in the *TestNav 8 Proctor Caching User Guide*.
- Use the SystemCheck *Testing Capacity* tab for determining your network capacity during computer-based testing.



What's New TESTNA V. ProctorCache

User interface redesign and enhancements that include:

- renaming the Contents tab to Tests and the Client List tab to Clients for clarity,
- consolidating information previously displayed on the Home page into the Clients and Tests tabs,
- resolving issues with IE 11 not displaying the list of cached content,
- more robust comparison between content on the caching computer and content on the Pearson server to verify the cache has the most up-to-date content, and

PARCC recommends that all schools upgrade to the latest version to take advantage of these enhancements.



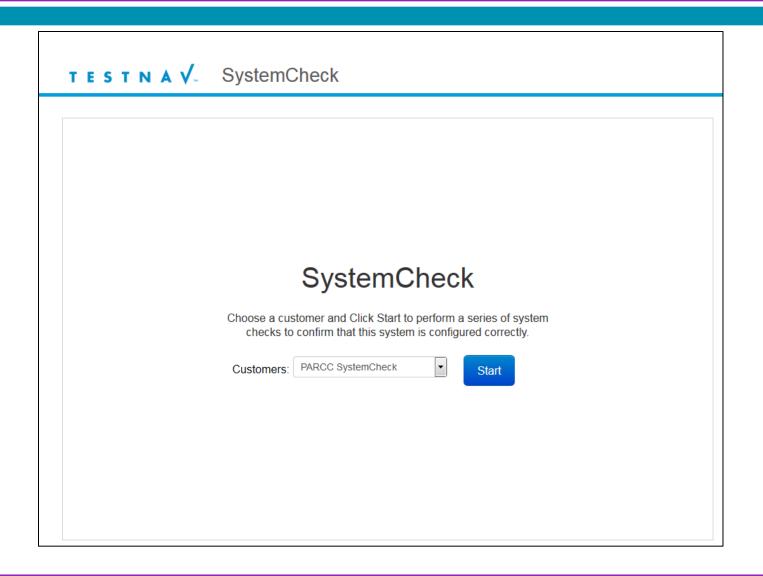
Proctor Caching Setup

- Download the Proctor Caching installer.
- Run the installer and Start Proctor Caching if it is not already started by the installer.
- Use SystemCheck from the client computer to verify that Proctor Caching is functional.
- Create a Proctor Caching setup or add a Proctor Caching computer within PearsonAccess Next at the district or school level.



Proctor Caching Setup - Demo

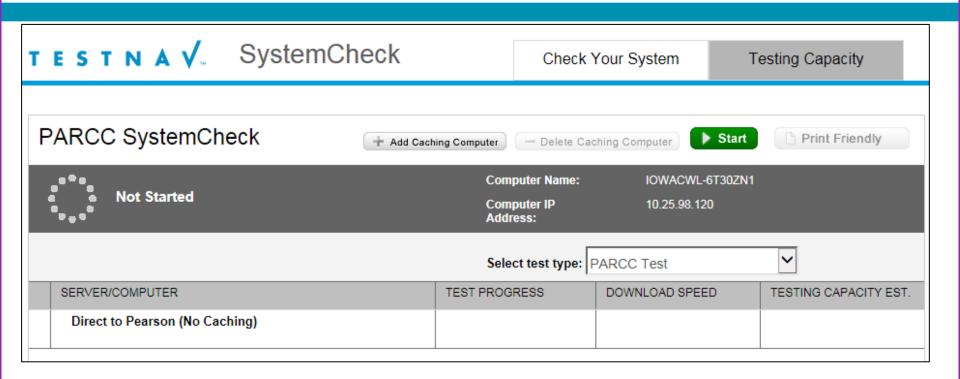






SystemCheck TESTNAV Check Your System Testing Capacity PARCC SystemCheck Print Friendly Start Computer Name: IOWACWL-6T30ZN1 **Not Started** Computer IP 10.25.98.120 Address: CHECKS PERFORMED RESULTS Browser Java Environment Operating System VERIFICATION To verify that you can run TestNav, complete the following steps: Start a Browser. 2. Go to this address: http://epat-parcc.testnav.com 3 Enter the following credentials in the login screen: Username: username Password: password 4. Choose "Sign In". Click the "Start Test Now" button. 6. Click the "Start Section" button. 7. If you see the "Congratulations" screen then your computer is correctly configured to run TestNav. NOTE: SystemCheck will not run on iPads and Chromebooks.

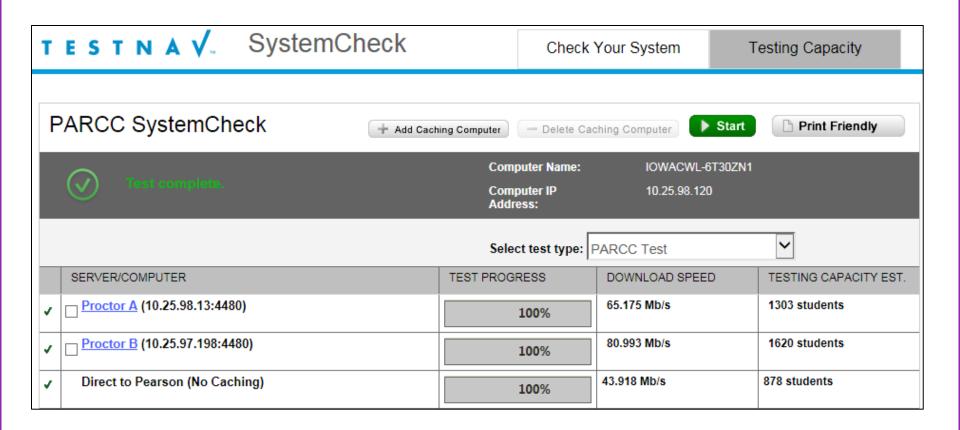






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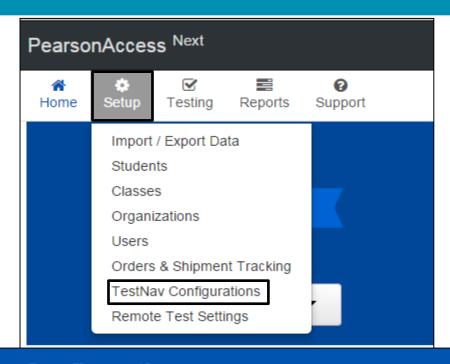


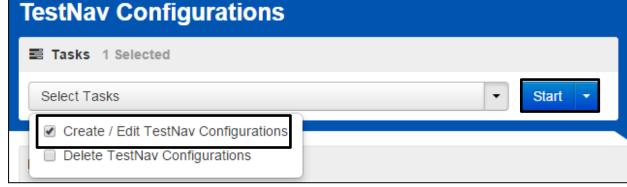
SystemCheck Tool - Demo



Configure TestNav Setup

- Sign in to the PARCC
 PearsonAccess Next
 website at
 http://PARCC.Pearson.com.
- 2. Select **Setup > TestNav Configurations**
- Select Create/Edit
 Configurations; click
 Start to launch the configuration.

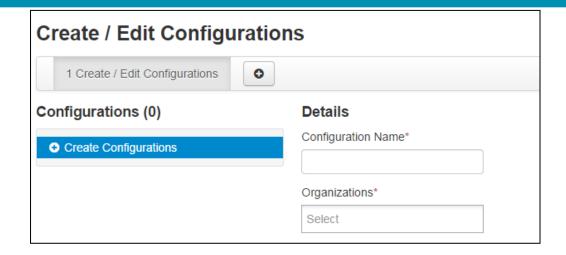






Configure TestNav Setup

- 4. Enter a *Configuration Name*.
- 5. Using the *Organizations* drop-down menu, select your school or district.





Configure TestNav Setup

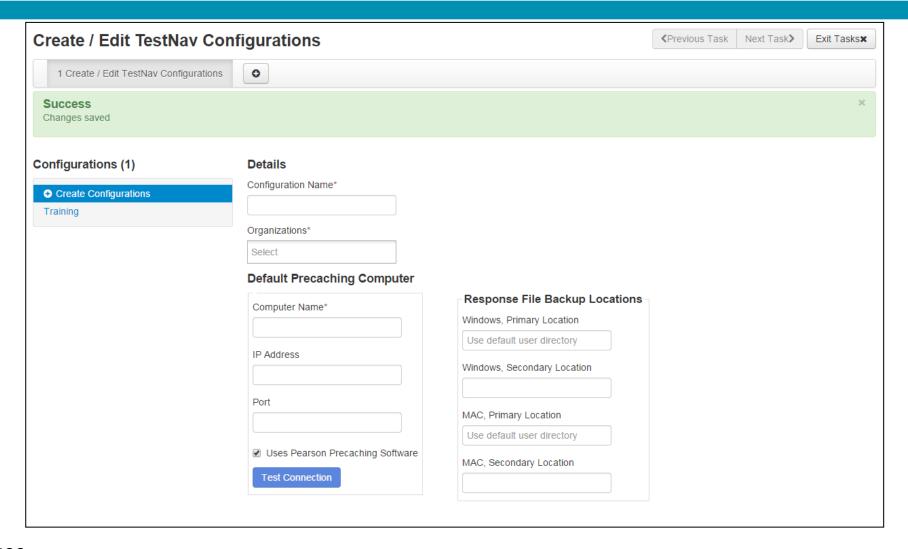
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puter Name*	Response File Backup Loca
	Windows, Primary Location
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6. Enter the Computer
Name, IP Address,
Port information,
and check "Uses
Pearson Precaching
Software."

7. Then specify student response file backup locations, and click *Create.*



Completed TestNav Configurations

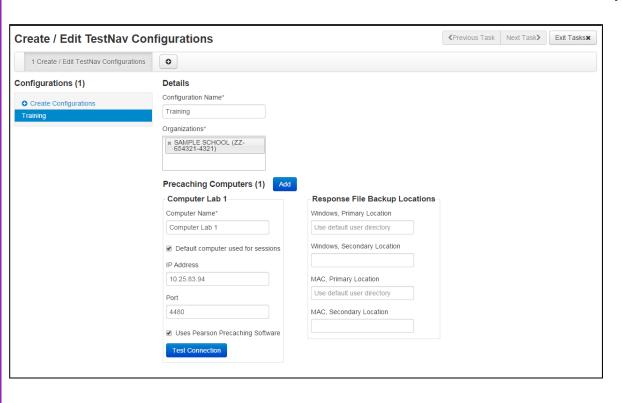




TestNav Configuration - Demo



TestNav Configuration Details

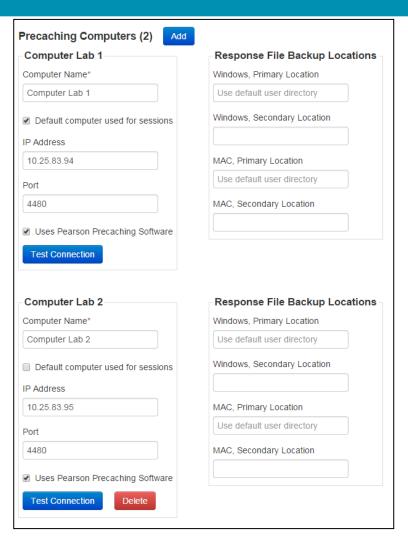


Configuration Details allows you to:

- edit the configuration name,
- add additional organizations to the configuration,
- edit settings, and
- add Precaching computers to configuration.



TestNav Configuration Details

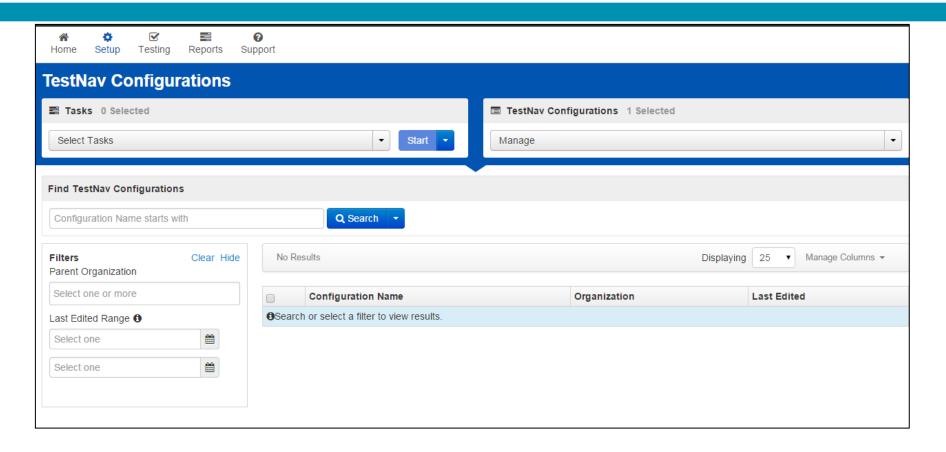


With multiple TestNav settings, note that you can now:

- change default configuration by checking or unchecking "Default computer used for sessions," and
- delete configurations



TestNav Configuration Details





PearsonAccess Next and Precaching Setups

- TestNav configurations work from school to district. A school Precaching machine will take precedence over a district. If a school does not have a setup, then the district setup will apply.
- The Precaching server option in Session Details will show only if there are two or more Precaching machines to choose from at the school or district.
- Sessions created prior to setup will not display the *Update* Cache button in the Students in Sessions screen.



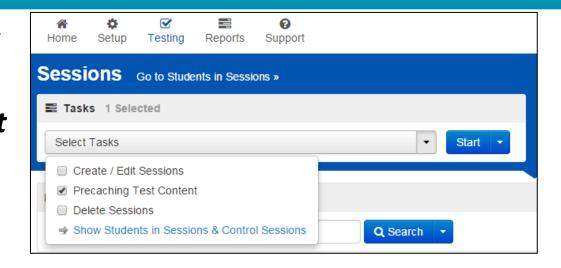
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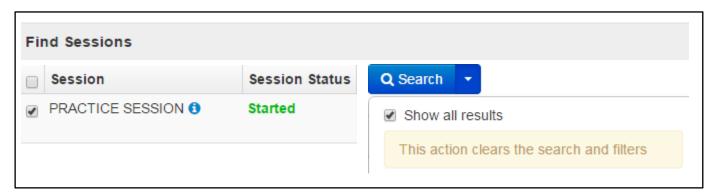
- Confirm that Precaching activities are complete, if applicable.
- For further information, see PARCC's Test Coordinator Manual for Computer-Based Testing.



Precaching Test Content

- Choose Sessions under the Testing tab.
- Select "Precaching Test
 Content" from the
 Tasks menu and click
 Start.

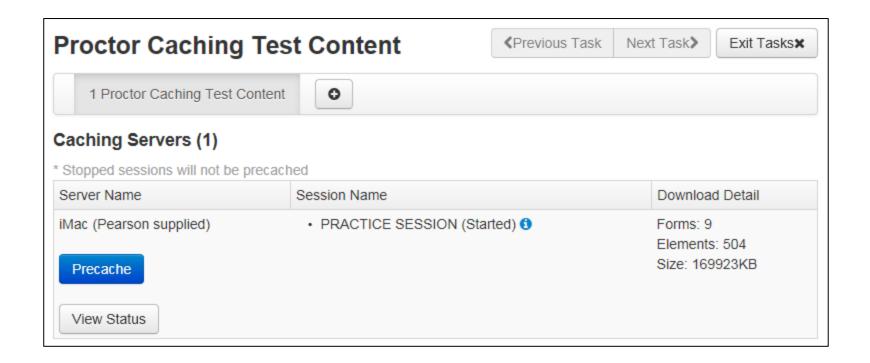






Precaching Test Content

 Click the Precache button on the Proctor Caching Test Content screen.





Precaching Test Content

Your Web Browser is not configured to run Java applet.





Precaching Test Content

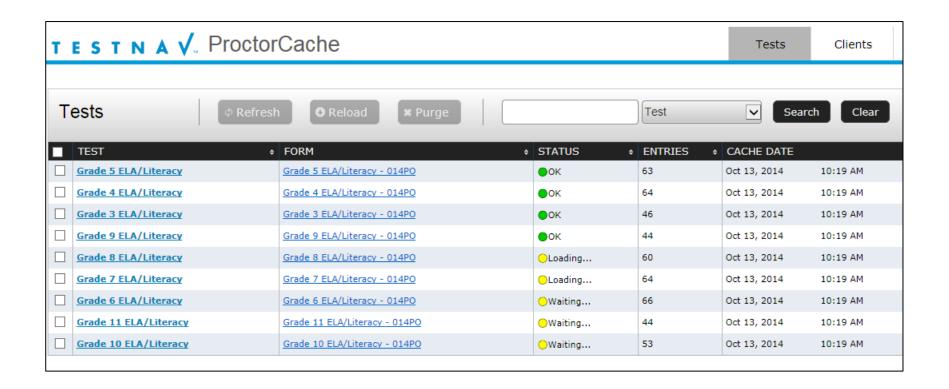
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Precaching Test Content

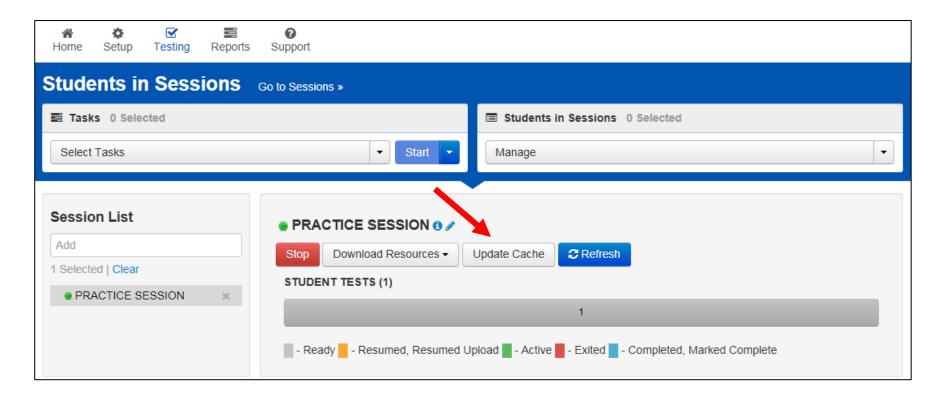
Proctor Cache - Tests Screen will appear in a second window.





Precaching Test Content – Update Cache

 Update Cache from the Students in Sessions screen under the Testing tab.





Precaching Content – Update Cache

Click Precache button to initiate the caching process.

The designated precaching computer (Computer Lab 1 at 10.25.83.94:4480) is running Pearson-supplied precaching software, so this is being used to cache the test content.

Click below to start the caching process

Precache

Note: This window will automatically close 30 seconds after the caching process begins.



Proctor Caching Diagnostics



- Select the *Tests* tab for information about test content and caching status.
- Select the Clients tab to monitor client connectivity.



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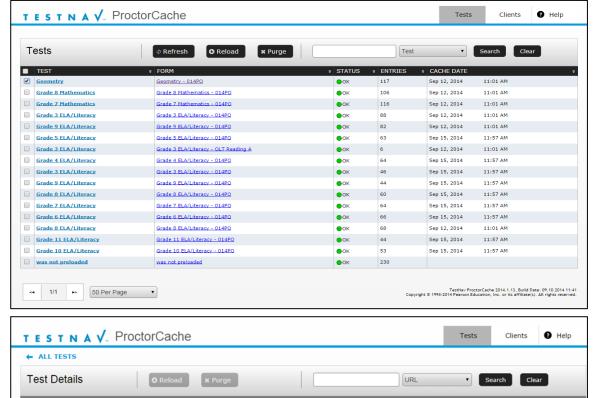
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Tests Tab



- Content is displayed at the Test and Form level.
- Functionality is available to refresh, reload, or purge selected test content.
- When clicking Refresh, Reload, or Purge, a password will be required.
- Clicking on a test name will display individual items in a test.

• STATUS • CONTENT LENGTH •

4.5 KB

10.8 KB

480.8 KB

163.5 KB

480.8 KB



Tests Tab – Status



OK – Content is cached



Not Loaded – Content is not cached Waiting... – Loading the content Loading... – Loading the content

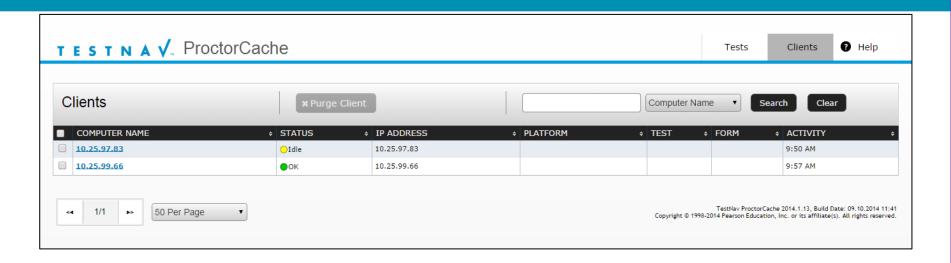


Failed to load content – There was a failure to load content MD5 Check Invalid – MD5 comparison failed MD5 Mismatch – MD5 comparison was successful but files did not match

In general any **status in red** is a critical problem



Clients Tab



- Clients that have connected to TestNav are listed by IP address.
- Clicking on a computer name will display the Client Details screen, which displays information regarding a particular computer connecting to Proctor Caching.



Clients List Tab – Status



Ok – Client is active



Idle – 5 to 30 minutes since client was activeLong Idle – 30 minutes to 12 hours since client was active

Clients are removed after 12 hours or inactivity.



Additional Technical Notes

- Java runtime is included with Windows install.
- Java runtime plugin is required for PearsonAccess pre-caching functionality. Verify that your browser is configured for Java and that the IP address of the Proctor Caching machine is added to your browser's exception list.
- If you must direct Proctor Caching to an upstream proxy server to access the Internet, Proctor Caching can be configured to use the proxy server. The "Tips on Proctor Caching" section within the *Proctor Caching User Guide* provides guidance on making changes to Proctor Caching computer settings and how to edit the configuration file to point to an upstream proxy server.



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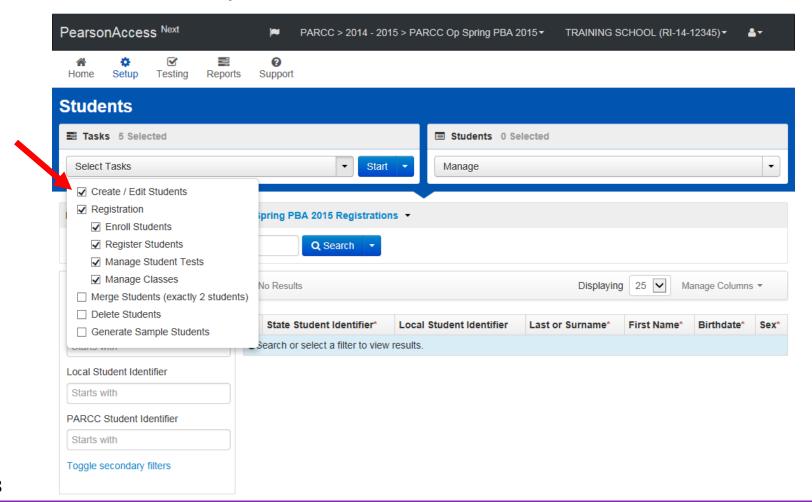


Pearson Access Next: Details

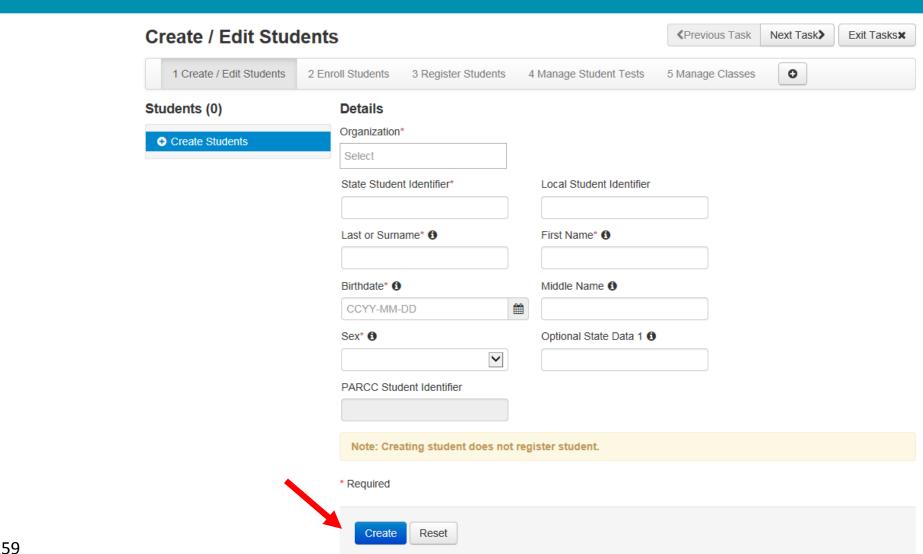
- Student Registration
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 - ✓ Create Sessions
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 - ✓ Students in Sessions



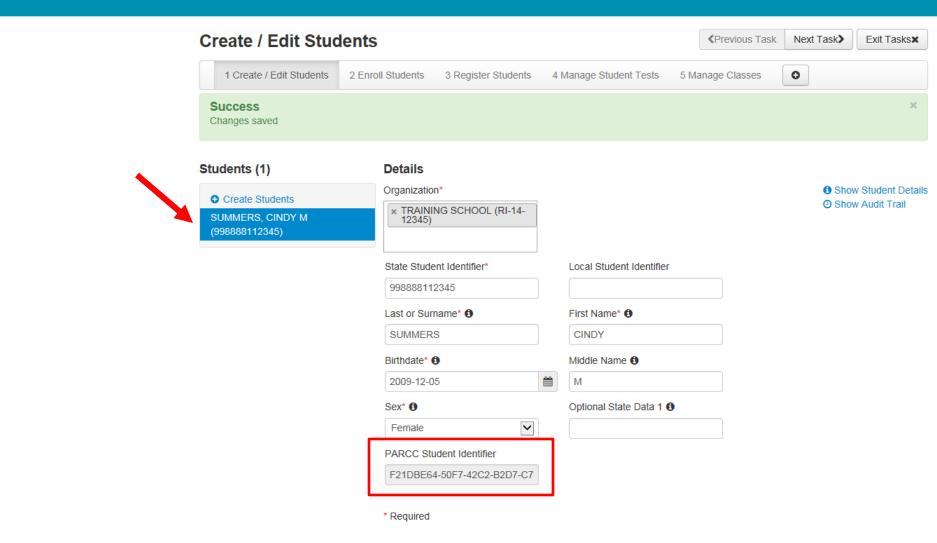
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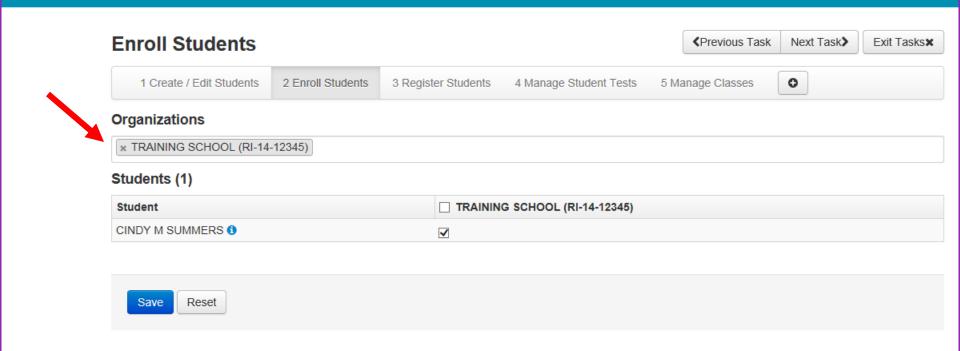




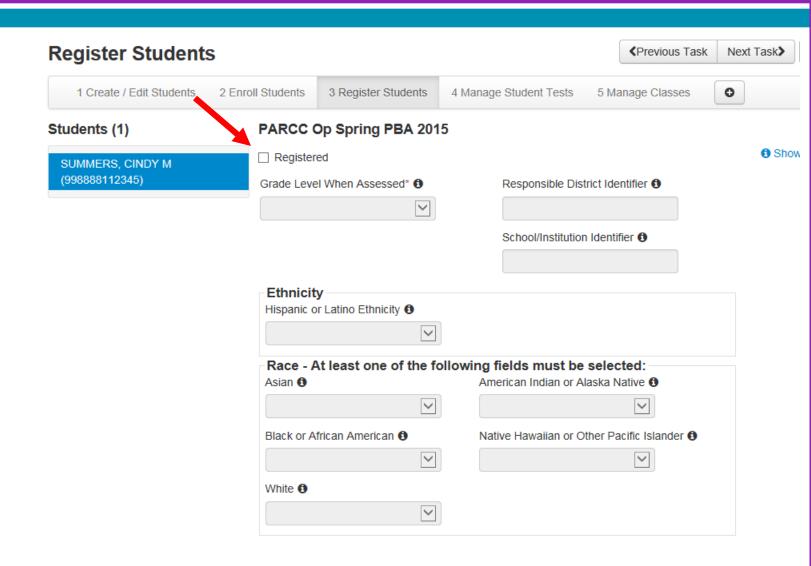




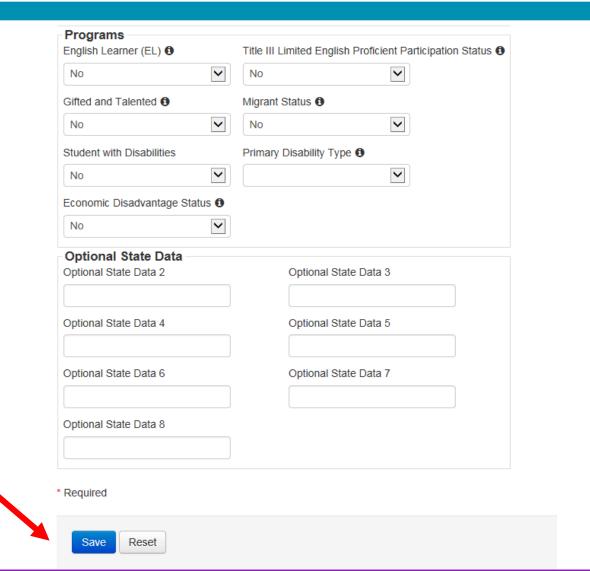




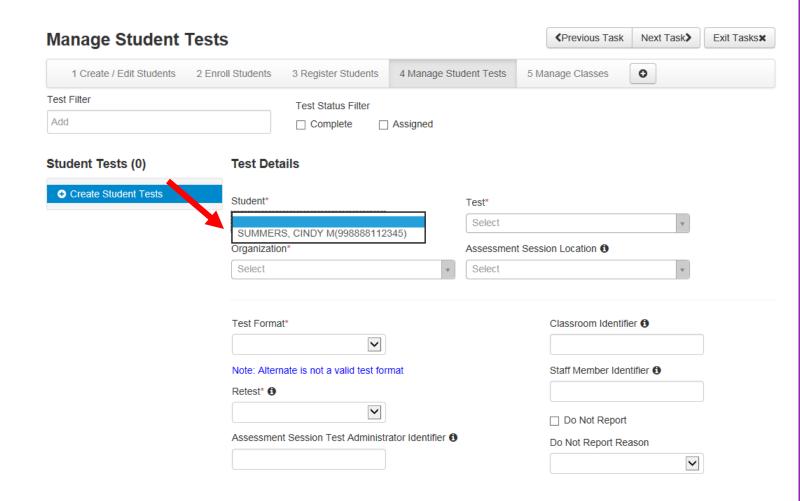




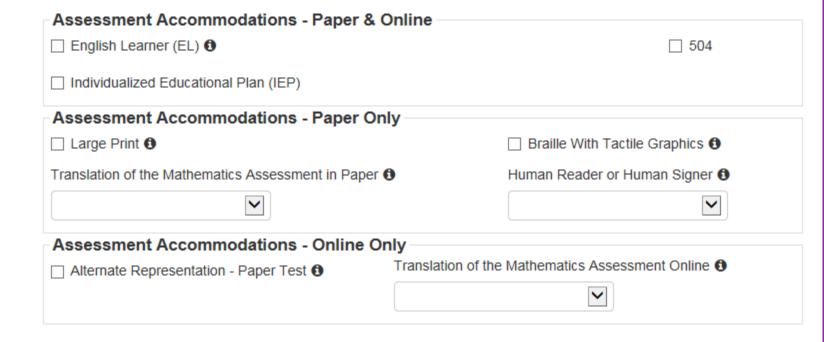












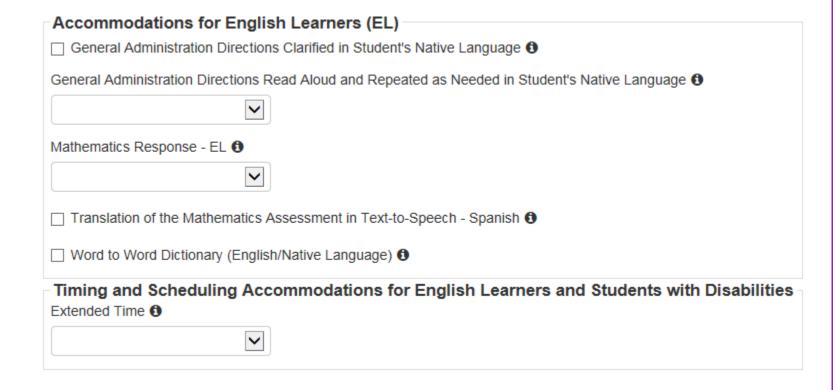


Administration Consideration		
☐ Frequent Breaks 6	☐ Specialized Equipment or Furniture	
☐ Separate/Alternate Location	☐ Specified Area or Setting	
☐ Small Testing Group	☐ Time of Day	
Accessibility Features Identified in Advance		
	Human Reader or Human Signer for Mathematics 1	
Color Contrast 1	~	
Text-to-Speech		
☐ Text-to-Speech 1		



Students with Disabilities with an IEP and 504 Plan:		
Presentation Accommodations		
☐ ASL Video 6	Screen Reader OR other Assistive Technology (AT) Application 6	
☐ Closed Captioning for ELA/L 1		
☐ Refreshable Braille Display for ELA/L 1	Human Reader or Human Signer for ELA/L 1	
☐ Tactile Graphics 1		
Response Accommodations		
☐ Answers Recorded in Test Book ⑤	Braille Response 1	
☐ Calculation Device and Mathematics Tools 6		
☐ Monitor Test Response 1	Mathematics Response	
☐ Word Prediction 1		
	ELA/L Constructed Response	
	ELA/L Selected Response or Technology Enhanced Items 6	

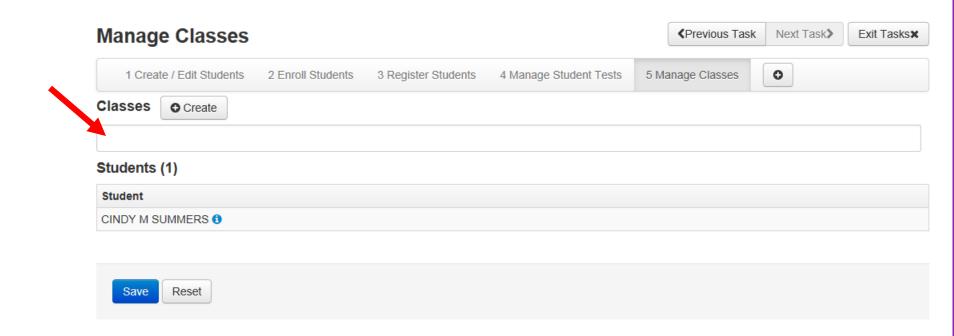




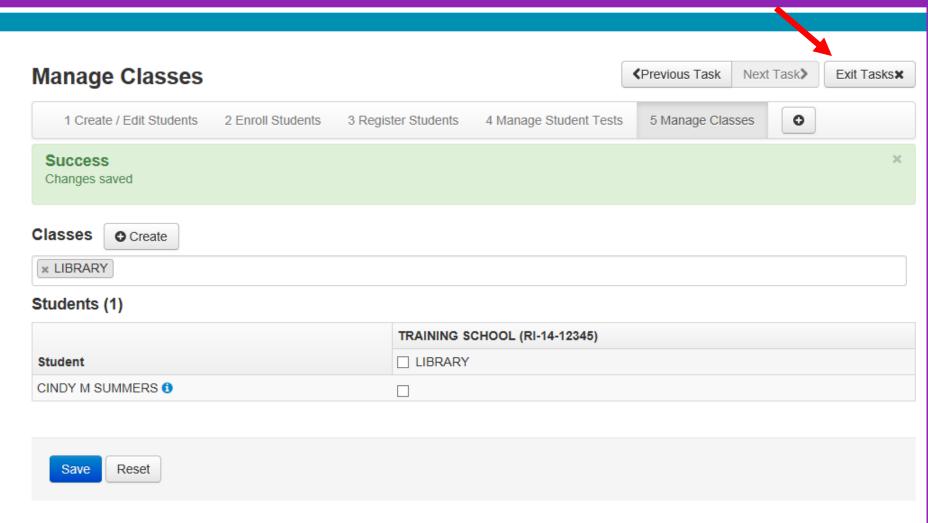


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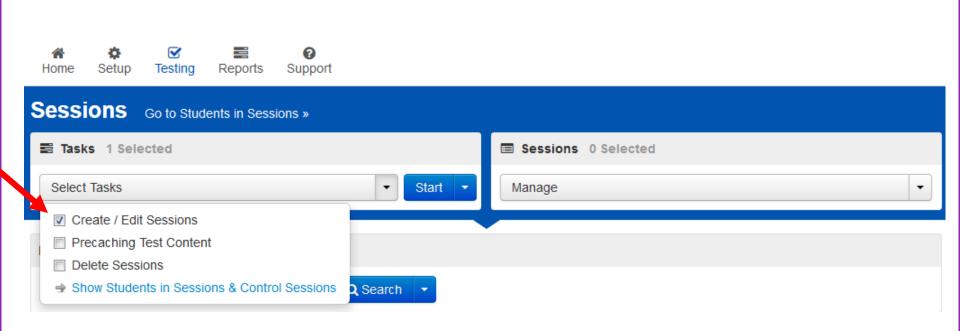




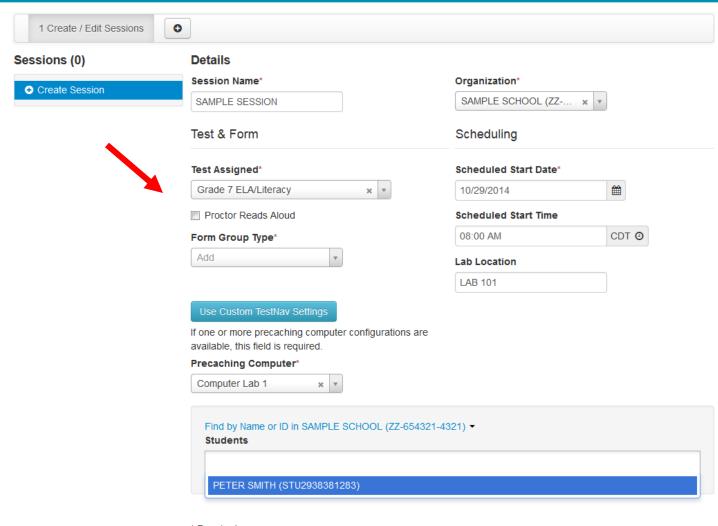




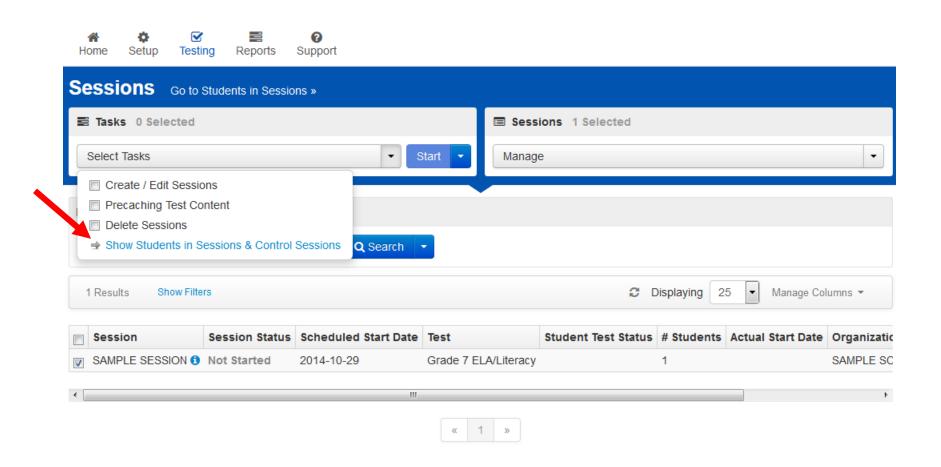




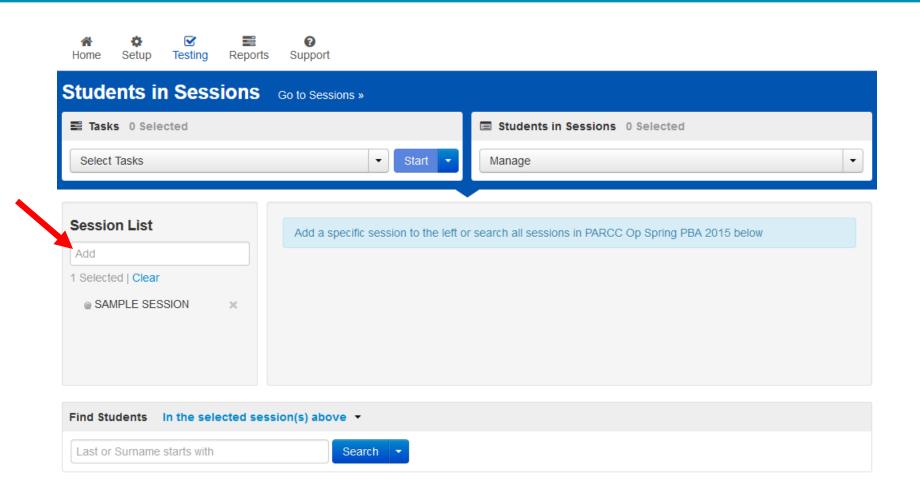




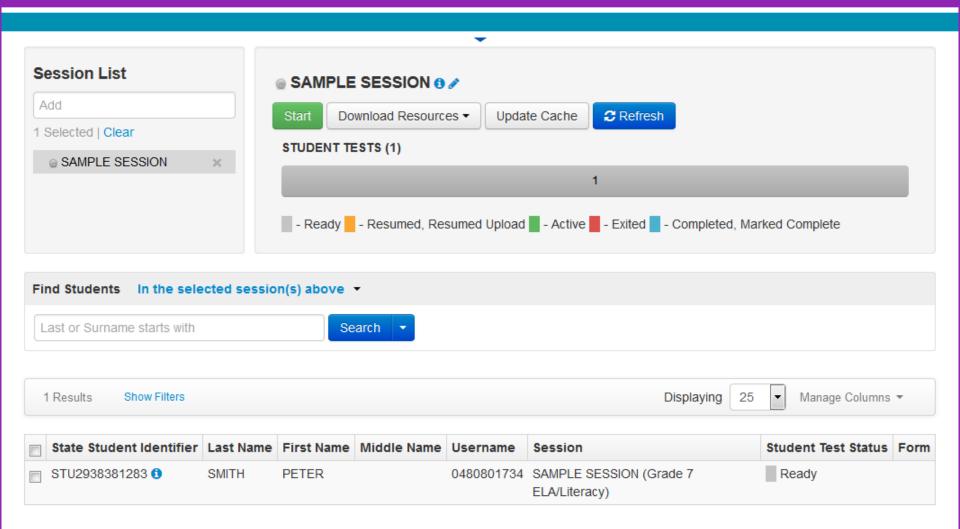




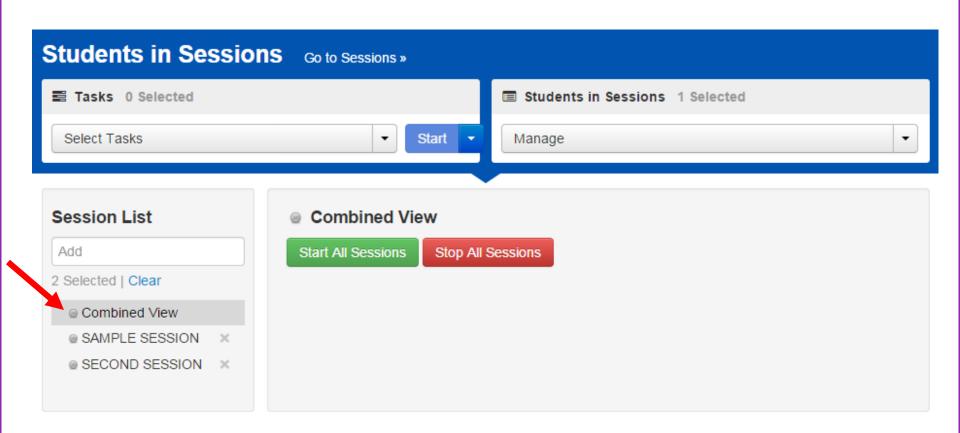






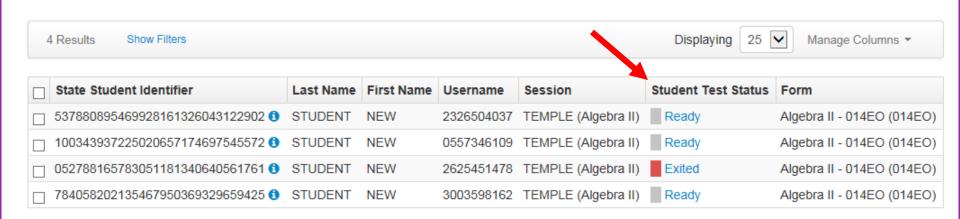




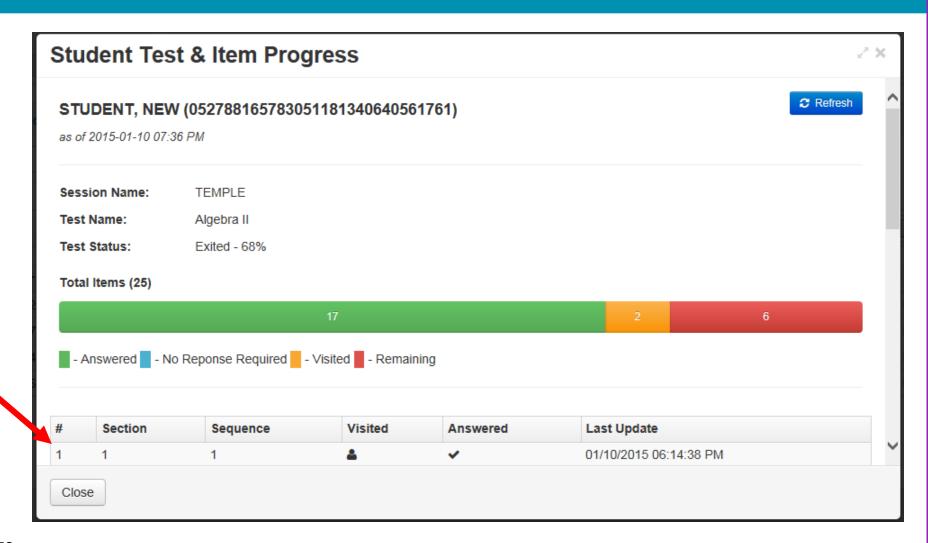




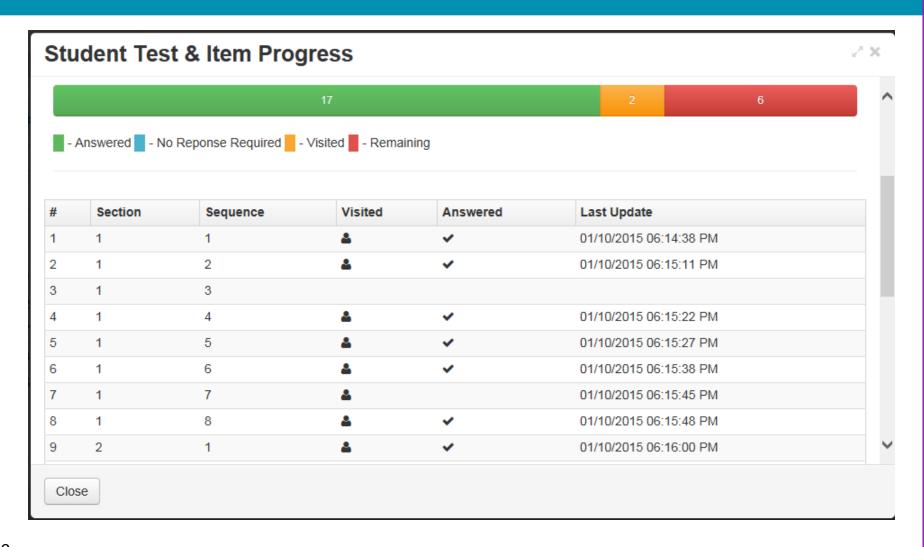
Monitor Student Progress under **Student Test Status**.



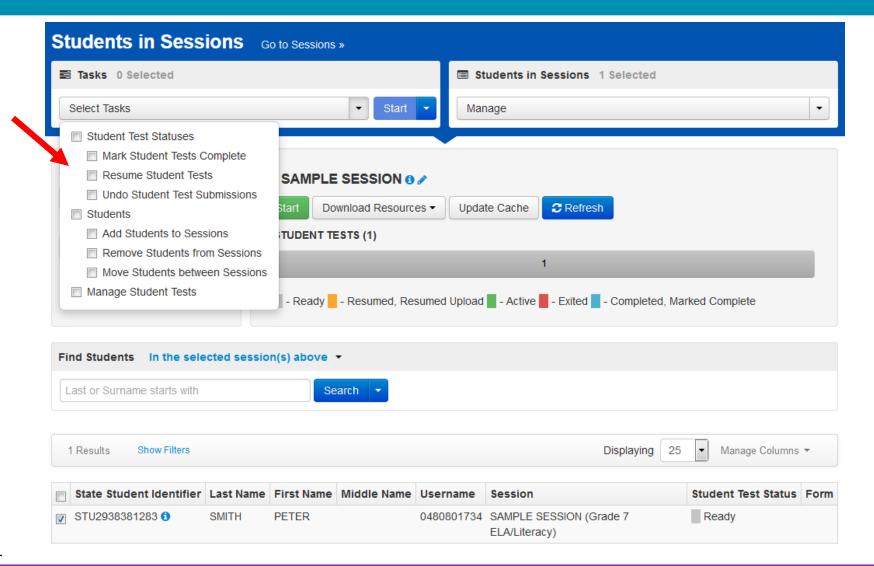




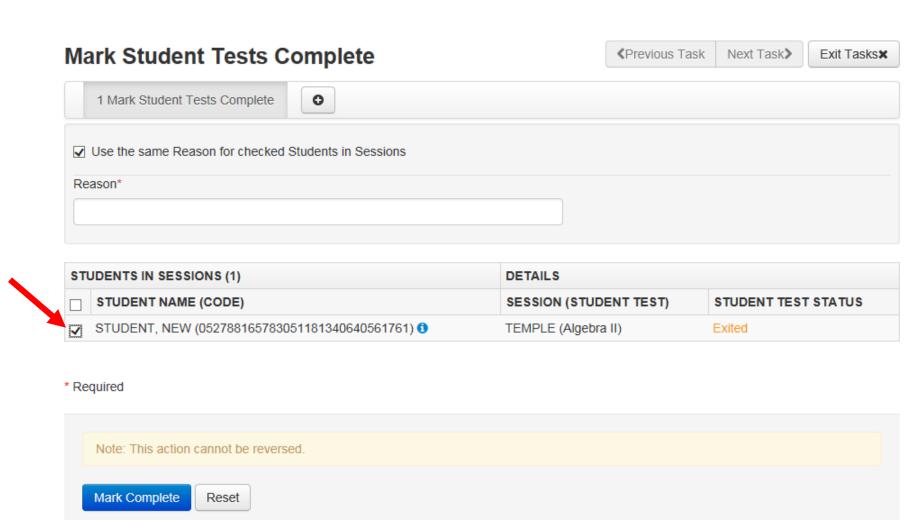




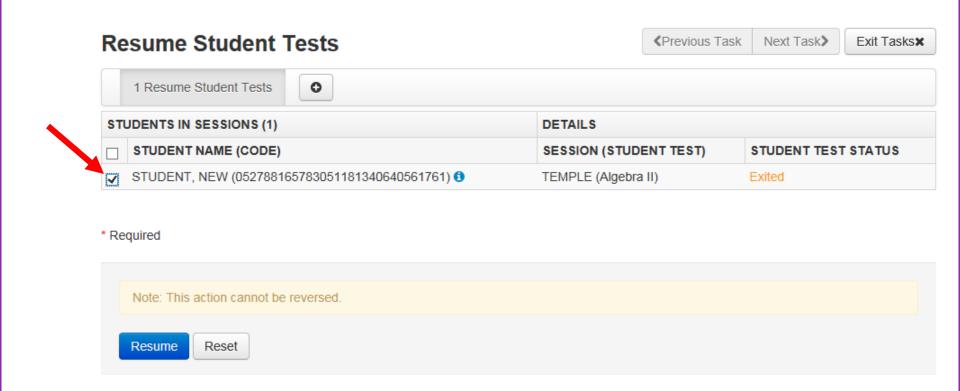




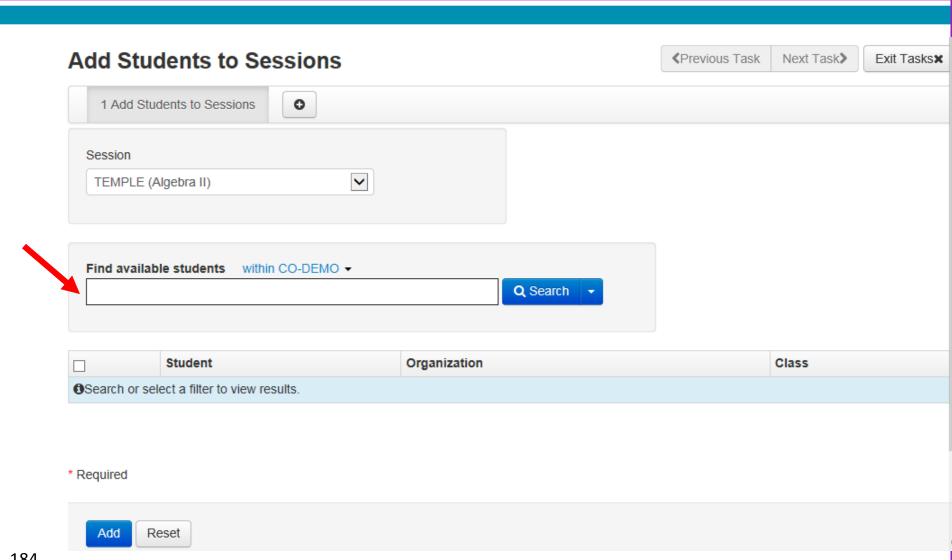




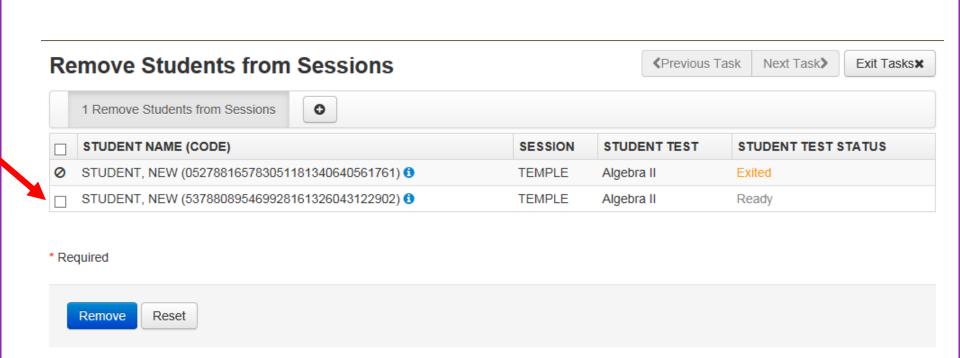




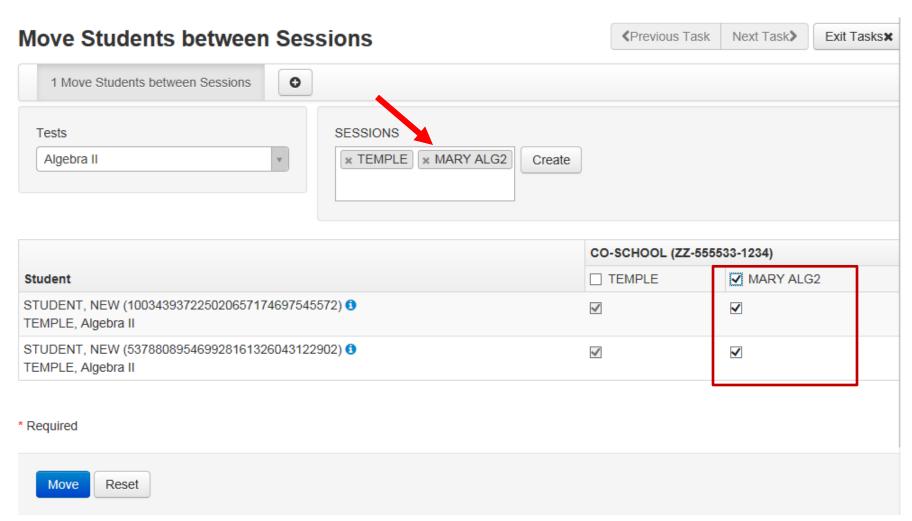














Important Notes for Makeup Testing:

- **Set Section Resume:** Additional functionality will be added to the Select Tasks menu to allow for the resuming to a specific Unit of the test. This functionality will allow out-of-order Unit testing for Makeup students. This screen will work similar to the Resume Student Tests screen.
- Documentation: Additional guidance on using this additional functionality will become available prior to the PBA Administration.



Important Notes for Online Testing Management:

- Human Reader or Human Signer: Students with this
 presentation accommodation will need to be grouped in a
 separate session and the session will have the "Proctor Reads
 Aloud" option checked.
- **Text To Speech:** Students with this accessibility feature can be in sessions with other students. You can physically test these students in the same room if headphones are utilized.



Important Notes for Online Testing Management:

At this time, PARCC is finalizing the process for these scenarios and others. Documentation will become available prior to the start of the PBA Administration.

- Process for Student starting the test with the wrong form of the test: ...
- Process for Student starting the test with the wrong accommodations: ...
- Process when a test is started and the student is no longer attending the school: ...



- **Precaching Test Content:** It is recommended to complete the Precaching of test sessions prior to students logging into the test. This can be done up to two weeks prior to the first day of testing.
- Update Cache: For students who have had PNP changes, use the Update Cache button in the "Students in Sessions" screen prior to the students logging into their test to insure that any new tests are precached.



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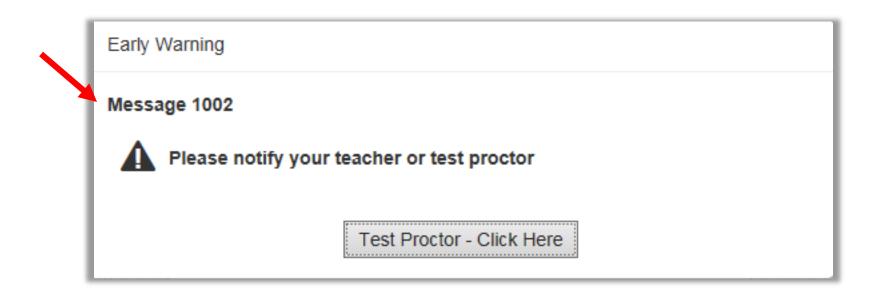
The TestNav Early Warning System (EWS) is designed to provide students with minimal interruptions. Notification Screens are designed for Test Administrator/Test Proctor.

- Situation 1: Response File Backup Location TestNav determines that neither backup locations is viable.
 - Will result in immediate <u>Test Proctor Click Here</u> notification.
- Situation 2: Test Content TestNav is unable to download portions of the test.
 - Will result in immediate <u>Test Proctor Click Here</u> notification.
- Situation 3: Student Responses Upload TestNav is unable to upload student responses to Pearson.
 - Will result in immediate <u>Test Proctor Click Here</u> notification at the time of test submission.





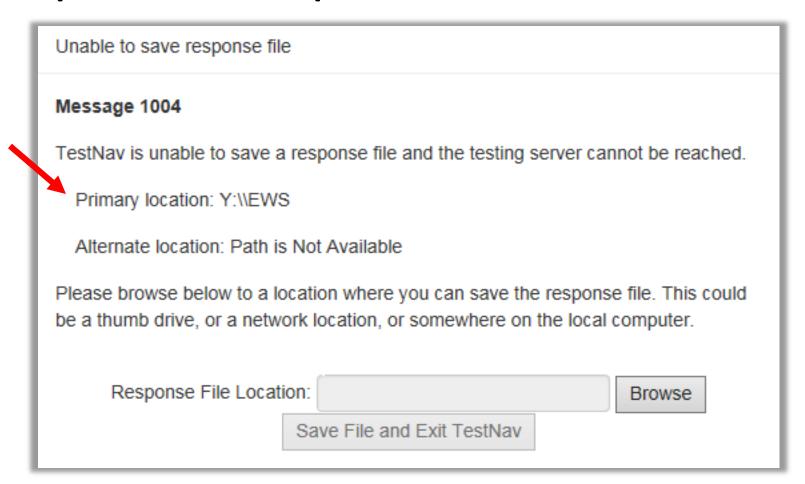
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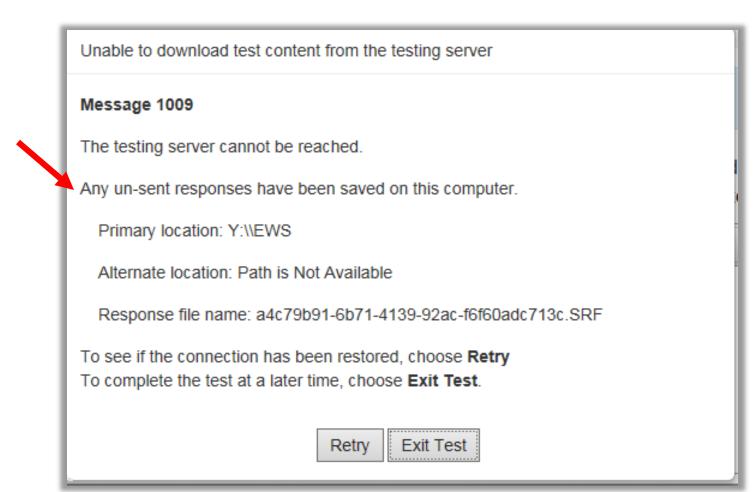
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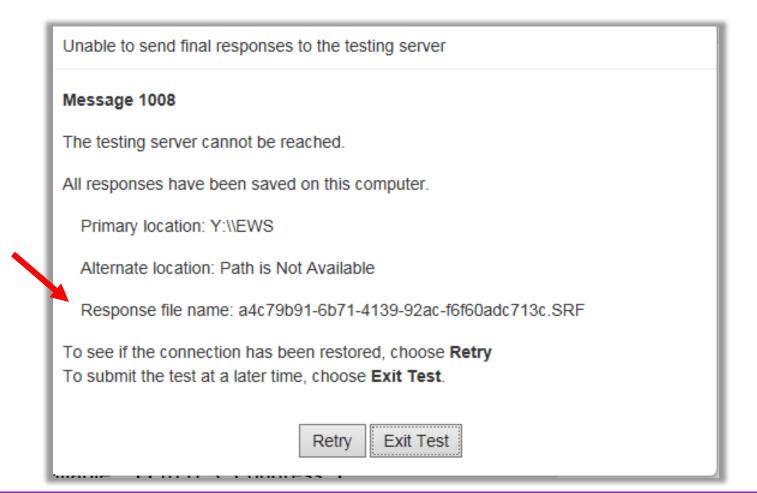
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Student Responses - Upload







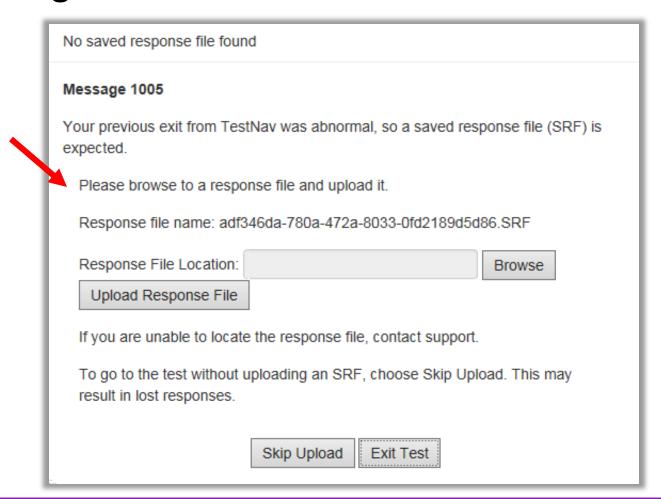
Resuming Students:

- When resuming students, resume students on the same testing device if possible. By default most student's responses will be on their testing device. This is important for chromebooks and iPads which utilize only one save location.
- TestNav will always search for a student's last response file, if it cannot find it, the EWS will trigger and a <u>Test Proctor - Click</u> <u>Here</u> screen will appear. Once the Test Administrator/Test Proctor clicks on this initial message, TestNav will prompt you to search for the response file.





Resuming Students:







TestNav Documentation:

TestNav 8 Online Support:

 $\underline{https://support.assessment.pearson.com/display/TN/TestNav+8+Online+Support}$

Mobile Devices:

https://support.assessment.pearson.com/display/TN/Mobile+Devices

EWS Triggers:

https://support.assessment.pearson.com/display/TN/Early+Warning+System+%28EWS%29+Triggers

TestNav Error Codes:

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SRF and Log Files:

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Introduction/Purpose

Dress Rehearsal

The purpose of an infrastructure trial is to confirm that:

- TestNav is configured correctly
- Devices can successfully run TestNav
- Network will bear the full load
- Participating staff know what to do for PARCC computer-based assessments
- Students are familiar with the computer-based tools and format



Infrastructure Trial

An Infrastructure Trial is an opportunity for LEAs, schools, and students to prepare for the computer-based PARCC Test by simulating test-day network utilization.

The Infrastructure Trial should take approximately **60 minutes to administer**. Schools are encouraged to provide any feedback on the Infrastructure Trial to LEAs. LEAs should contact your State PARCC Test Lead with feedback and/or concerns regarding software or hardware issues.

Note: Before conducting an Infrastructure Trial, there is a Technology Setup that needs to be completed by Technology Coordinators and a set of tasks in PearsonAccess^{next} that Test Coordinators will need to complete prior to the Infrastructure Trial.



Infrastructure Trial

Who should be involved?

You should involve all LEAs and school personnel responsible for participating in a computer-based assessment. It provides the opportunity to collectively evaluate the test environment and identify and resolve potential issues prior to the PARCC Test. For example, you would want to include:

- Test Coordinators
- Test Administrators
- LEA and school technology staff
- Student participation is recommended

District and/or School?

It is up to districts and schools to decide if the Infrastructure Trial needs to be completed at the district level or at the school level.



Infrastructure Trial-Where To Start

The Infrastructure Trial is conducted using the PearsonAccess^{next} Training site at http://parcc.pearson.com/pearsonaccess/.

You should first check with your LEA to see if the Infrastructure Trial will be performed from a district or school level. Then, you will need to verify that all staff members participating in the trial have received user IDs and passwords for the PearsonAccess^{next} Training site.

Refer to the PARCC Infrastructure Trial Readiness Guide for complete instructions.

Note: The Infrastructure Trial can only be conducted in the Training site with either the **PARCC Op Spring PBA 2015** or **PARCC Op Spring EOY 2015** administrations.



Technology Setup

Complete Technology Setup prior to Infrastructure Trial:

- Configure the Network
- Proctor Caching
- SystemCheck Tool
- TestNav and Proctor Caching Configurations
- Practice Tests, TestNav 8 Tutorial, and Sample Items



PearsonAccess^{next} Setup

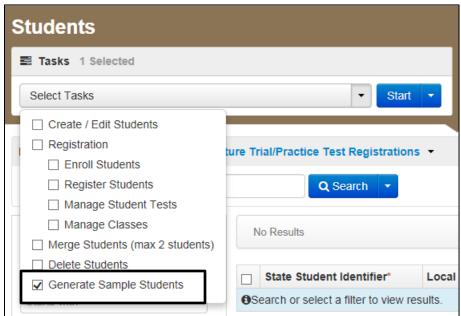
Schools or Districts will need to complete the following in PearsonAccess^{next} prior to the Infrastructure Trial:

- Create Sample Students
- Create Sessions
- Print Student Testing Tickets and Unlock Codes



Create Sample Students

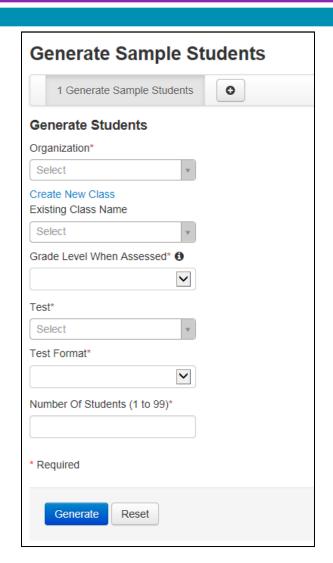
- Log into the PearsonAccess^{next} Training Site
- Choose the PARCC Op Spring PBA 2015 or PARCC Op Spring EOY 2015 Administration
- Click Setup and select Students
- Select Generate Sample Students from the Tasks menu
- Click Start to continue





Create Sample Students

- Complete the Generate Sample Students screen
- Click Generate to complete the process



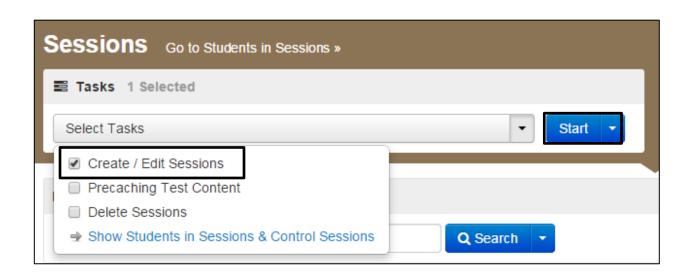


Create Sample Students- Demo



Create Sessions

- Go to the **Testing** tab and click **Sessions**
- From the Select Tasks pull-down menu select Create/Edit
 Sessions and click Start

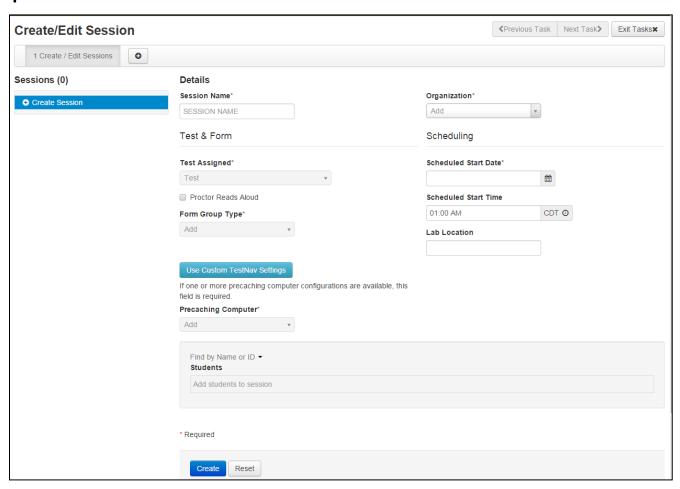


A test session in PearsonAccess^{next} is an assessment containing certain units.



Create Sessions

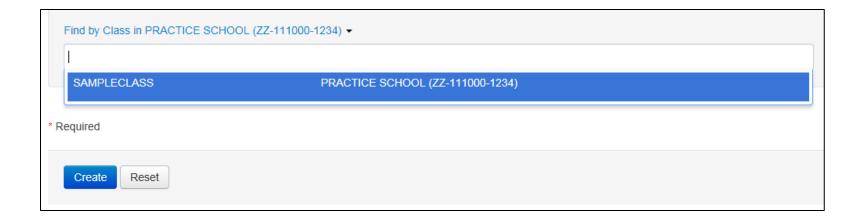
Complete Test Details





Create Sessions

Add students to session

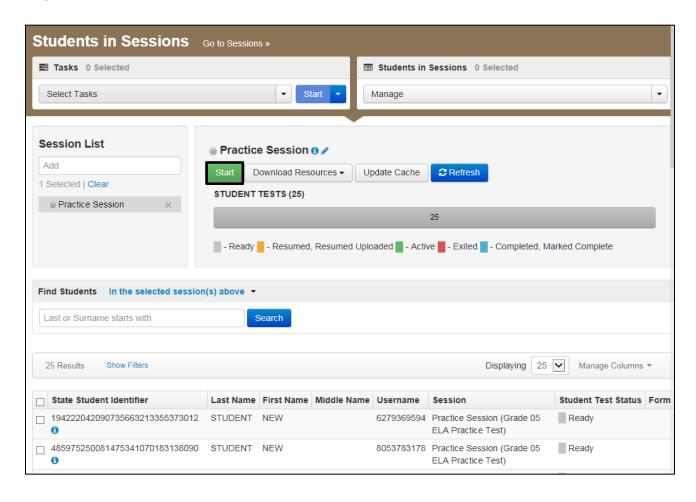




Create Sessions - Demo

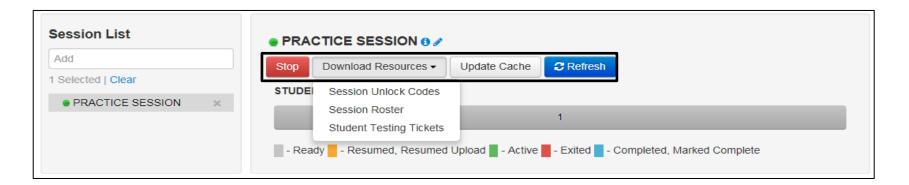


Starting Session



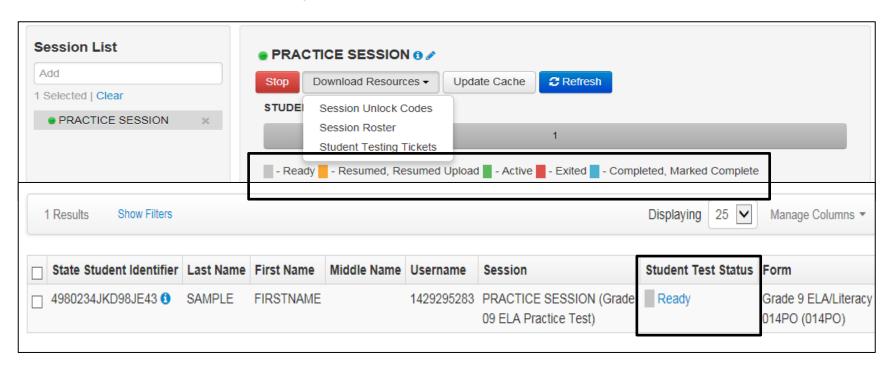


Conducting Session



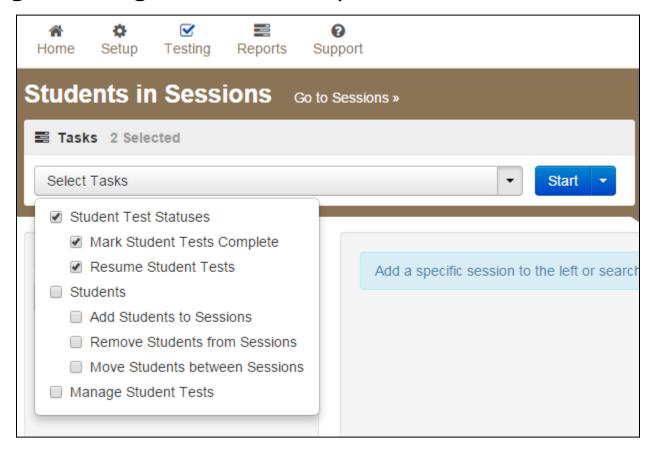


Student Test Status Key





Resuming, Marking Students Complete





Infrastructure Trial

Ready to Begin Your Infrastructure Trial?

- Technology Setup Complete
- Practiced with sample items and Practiced Tests
- PearsonAccess^{next} Training site setup has been completed and student testing tickets have been printed.
- Reviewed Infrastructure Trial Guide





Infrastructure Trial

What to do during the Infrastructure Trial

- Prepare
- Conduct
- Closing & Lessons learned





Training & Documentation



Training Modules:

- Technology Readiness for Schools & Districts
- Proctor Caching & TestNav Configuration
- Student Readiness Resources for PARCC

Guide:

PARCC Infrastructure Readiness Guide



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- Administrative Tasks to Complete Before, During, and After Testing
- Test Administration, Test Schedule, Testing Times
- Student Readiness
- Accessibility Features & Accommodations
- LEA and School Responsibilities
- Management of Materials
- PearsonAccess^{next}
- Support



Support: PARCC Support

Contact PARCC Support for assistance with:

- Navigating PearsonAccess^{next}
- Navigating the Training Center
- Managing Student Registration Data
- Setting up test units
- Managing user IDs and passwords

- Accessing resources
- Setting up proctor caching
- Submitting additional orders
- Inquiring about shipments

Online Support and Resources: http://parcc.pearson.com/support

Call Toll Free: 1-888-493-9888 (5:00 am – 7:00 pm CT, Mon. –Fri.)

Email: PARCC@support.pearson.com



Support: State or LEA Support

Contact your State or LEA Test Coordinator for assistance with:

- Testing schedule
- Testing accommodations
- Unusual circumstances on test days
- Violations of test security
- School emergencies that affect testing
- Questions about general testing policies
- Questions about state communications



Resources

- PARCC Accessibility Policy Manual & Implementation Guidance
 - PARCC Accessibility Features and Accommodations Manual
 - Overview website page, including implementation appendices A-K
 - Translation Policy Memo
 - All located at <u>www.parccconline.org</u>
- Training Modules
 - Located at https://parcc.tms.pearson.com
- Test Coordinator & Test Administrator Manuals for Paper-based and Computer-based Testing
 - Found at https://PARCC.pearson.com on the Support page
- PARCC Test Tutorials and Sample Items
 - Located under Sample Sets and Tutorials of http://PARCC.pearson.com





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